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Shanghai Chides Fanatics

The Chinese owned English Press" today editorially criticisea the ngitation by various Chinese societies for a boycott of Hong Kong because of the recent death of a Chinese hawker there.

The paper said that on economic grounds such a boycott would be an act equivalent to cutting the nose to spite the face and as a result would do more harm to Kwangtung's industries and Canton's trade than those of Hong

"Another question is the fur weightier one of Sino-British relations. China and Britain ... to day stand for the same principles in the field of international policy. This happy state of affairs has -undoubtedly done much to ald both countries in the conduct of their foreign affairs. this would be changed if through public pressure the Government yields to hysterical fanatics and begins an unwarranted and unnecessary boycatt of Wiong Kong. The naper added that there has

been absolutely no indication

unfairness in the trial of the In-

dian policeman accused.—Reuter.

HKSRA MEN **ACCUSED**

Singapore, Nov. 27. Seven Indian other ranks the Hongkong and Singapore Royal Artillery have been brought here from Batavia, to face court-martial on charges of mutiny on Christmas Island in March, 1942 when a British officer and four non-commissioned officers were murdered.

The commanding officer Christmas Island, Captain Williams, and four N.C.O.s were murdered in their beds shortly before the Japanese took lover the island. Christmas Island, which · lies 200 miles south of Java, had a garrison of a British officer and British non-commissioned officers an Indian officer and 20 Indian soldiers.—Reuter.

EX-KING AGAIN A GRANDFATHER

Cannes, France, Nov. 27. Ex-King Vittorio Emanuele of Italy became a grandfather again with the birth of a daughter to his daughter, Maria of Savoia, wife of Brince Louis de Bourbon Parma.-Associated Press.

JAPANESE REPARATION

United States Threatens To Act Unilaterally

Others Reluctant To Take Action

No. 33527.

Washington, Nov. 27.

That the United States will take unilateral action on claims of respective nations for Japanese war reparations became a possibility as the result of the failure of claimants to follow the American suggested consultations among the Far East commission countries for settlement. Despite the seeming enthusiasm of the claimant

nations for American suggestions advanced by Mr. Edwin Pauley a fortnight ago, it is now learned that the would-be claimants are reluctant to enter discussions. The United States is now hopeful that others concerned will propose methods for the solution of the problem, if they are disinclined-to-accept the American overtures.

Authoritative quarters instaround in sheeboxes when be-Washington indicate, however, ing assembled are causing that unless the claimants either | American soldiers and others accept the American sugges- | concerned, to become virtually teral action. These circles em- licity phasise that "the United States a reasonable time."

The opinion was expressed | tions settlement-to take unitathat unless the international teral action, the United States solution is sighted within a few weeks, an (American declaration) is to be expected.

Bizarre Angle

bizarre angle entered the problem recently with widespread' publication stories; in the United that at least \$25,000,000 worth of diamonds which the Japanese military extorted from their own people for the promotion of war was piled in the vaults of Tokyo's Bank of Japan, and destined to be declared as re-

American experts say it is believed that the collection represents virtually every above the official satellite peace treaties.

Pop-Eyed

Stories of how the gems was unearthed from all unlikely placer in Japan and shoveled

Haifa, Nov. 27.

ed the troops began transferr-

Haifa meanwhile was bat-

red down" by a protest

daily newspaper on the ground that it published arti-

cles offensive to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. The commissioner said that the action was taken following a complaint from the Chinese Consul General. -Associated Press.

PAPER

SUPPRESSED

The French commissioner

for Cochin China issued an

order suppressing a Chinese

Saigon, Nov. 27.

YUGOSLAV BORDER TENSION

Athens, Nov. 27. A spokesman of the Greek Foreign stated today that Yugoinformed has Greece that the Yugoforces Greek-Yugoslav borders have been strengthened "to avoid the entrance of pursued Greeks."

Greek rebels today blew up a bridge over the Gallico river in the Kilkich area of Macedonia, cutting the railway line between Greece and Turkey, reports from Salonika said. Reports from the Yugoslavia

troutier region sald that there was clear evidence of an "undeclared war" in the area between Salonika and the Yugoslav frontier. Villages were silent and desert-

"I Never Burned Her"

London, Nov. 26. A two-day drama of a little eight-year-old girl Jean Titchner, ended today with anguished cries echoing through the Old PASHA Bailey Criminal Court of "I never burned hernever—I never."

The cries came from the 42year-old mother as she was being taken down to the cells to start a two-year sentence passed a few moments before muliciously inflicting "grievous" bedily harm" on Jean.

guilty of what the judge called ment. a "lesser offence." She was found not guilty of intentionally causing grievous bodily harm

the Judge, "it might be necessary to have sentenced you to surroundings where every pos- | Senate to raise the matter. sible precaution against prejudice has been taken. You turned against this child-and a child is a sacred thing."

Public Opinion George Titchner, the father. imprisonment on being found the Journal de Egypt today. guilty of wilfully neglecting Jean. To him the Judge said: That this child was kept she was is your responsibility -public opinion is outraged violently when this sort of

thing happens." Jean herself, giving evidence in a whisper, said she had been ed but roads were crowded with kept hungry and was often hit lorries carrying troops, gendarmes by her mother, who also burned and supplies for the "front." Peo- her with a small lamp and hit ple spoke as though an invasion her with a burning stick.—Reu-

Nanking, Nov. 27. The "Emancipation Daily", official organ of the Chinese Communist Party in Yenan, today editorially warned the people of Shousi, Kansu and the Ninysia barder region to be prepared for an attack by paratroops. The paper carried specific instructions on what measures should be taken to deal with any paratroops attack .- Reuter.

Cairo, Nov. 27. The political situation in Egypt is greatly clarified today by last night's

big Government victory when she was found guilty of in the Chamber-when out of the tea house and dis- and boarding houses indeputies voted con-Mrs. Titchner had been found fidence in the Govern- Street, by the side of the Tak

Cairo is new discussing what the the next move will be and there into Wing Sing Street was seems to be a general belief in clearly visible. "Were it not for that." said political circles that the Govcrnment will not bring the Bevin-Sidky agreement before scraps; of newspaper, which penel servitude—you have re- the Senate though it will be indicated that the explosive the net. ceived a careful trial in quiet open to the opposition in the substance was wrapped up.

confidence from the Chamber, E.U. in charge of Inspector the Government has only to Kinloch, were on the apot inform the British Government within five minutes of the exof its decision to sign the plosion. A drag net was imtreaty on the basis of was sentenced to six months Bevin-Sidky agreement", writes to apprehend the wounded

> The general expectation this morning is that there will be a premises for some considerable dollars. Council of Ministers today at time which the Foreign Minister, Abdul Hadq Pasha, will be authorised to proceed to Lon-

There the treaty will be put Subsequently, the Egyptian Par- Rejection liament will hold a joint session Accord of both chambers and vote on ACCOIU DEIIEU In view of last night's vote,

it is believed that the treaty will be approved and come force.-Reuter.

LORD TEDDER

Iwakuni, Nov. 27. Air Force Marshal Lord Tedestablishments in the

BOMB GANGSTER STRIKES AGAIN

Terrorists who have been carrying on a "war of nerves" against local restaurants by planting explosive substances on the premises, struck again at 9.15 last night, this time at the Tak Wan Tea House of No. 1, Bonham Strand East, just opposite Ho Tung Building in Queen's Road Central.

Happily, none of the customers of the tea-house were injured, but the outrage apparently had a boomerang effect on the gangster who in-tended to "plant" the explosive.

The explosion, which sounded like a large-sized firecracker. occurred on the landing of the Surprise

sound of the explosion, Chinese aged about 30 years. dressed in grey clothing, Chinese style, ran down the stairs, with his left arm bleeding pro-

No attempt was made to stop the man, who calmly walked appeared down Wing Sing an attempt to grab mem-A trail of bloodstains from

point of the explosion

A large body of police officers 'Armed with this vote of under A.S.P. Luscombe and the the mediately spread in an attempt

ious sightseers gathered in the suggestion that they are " convicinity and the Police had a busy time keeping them back

The Hague, Nov. 26. A source close to the Dutch Prime Minister today denied. the report that the Cabinet at its meeting last Saturday disapproved the Indenesian draft agreement. "No decision whatever, way

taken at last Saturday's meeting," this source stated. "The Government has

der, who is touring British air | viously stated that no action Far would be taken pending consultion asked by the ... Hon. Mr. East, arrived with Lady Tedder | tation with the Commissiontoday. He was met by Lieut- General (which negotiated the General H.C.H. Robertson, Com- agreement on behalf of the mander of the British occupa- Government). At last Sature! tion force. Lord Tedder and day's meeting the whole posihis party are going to Tokyo tion was considered, but no an November 28.—Associated conclusion was reached."—Reu-

(By "Paul Pry")

Police raids on hotels bers of the gang responsible for the recent wave of threatening letters demanding "protection money" have also resulted in bringing another set of big fish into

One of the biggest of these, taken into custody as a result of two raids, is believed to comprise the most important members of a gang which has been smuggling arms and ammunition free Hong Kong into Chinese territory, including the Canton area.

Seized with them were three sub-machine-guns, 3,000 rounds of ammunition, and a consider-Customers in the tea house, table amount of money in both were not allowed to leave the Hong Kong and Chinese National

Those detained, consist of six As usual, hundreds of cur- men and two women. There is no nected in any way with the orisanization which has been sending threatening letters to hotels, restaurants and cinemas.

I also understand that one Chinese police constable been detained on suspicion of his complicity with the arms smug-

Rule of Road Decision?

At today's meeting of the Legislative Council, the Hon. Mr. R. D. Gillespie will ask the following question:

"With erference to the ques-D. F. Landale in this Council on July 19, has Government come to any decision as to whether or not the existing left-hand side of the road should be amended?"

The Financial Secretary will move the following resolution:-"Resolved that if an entertainment is provided by or on behalf... of the organization known as Combined Services Entertainment, duty shall be charged levied and paid in like manner as if the expression 'admission to the entertainment' did not include admission. of any member of His Majesty's

OUT OF ALEX.

London. Nov. 27. British naval personner have been evacuated from the Royal Navy's hase at Alexandria n Egypt with the exception of three or four men, the Admiralty announced today. . These men were staying to man

a wireless telegraphy station, all other naval personnel having been withdrawn. Reuter.

THE WEATHER

strong anticyclone covers China, Mongolla and Manchurla. and pressure is also high to the E of Japan A deep depression: over Central Japan is moving A spokesman for the India NE. Pressure remains low over the southern region

drizzle or right rain. Cooler.

Rainfall Nil

Disillusionment Of Nanking Delegates

., Nanking, Nov. 27. After hours of discussion and lively debate, a certain amount of fumbling and almost a fortnight's consideration of the preliminaries and procedural rules and regulations, doubts about the usefulness and fruitfulness of China's first Constitutional Assembly are arising in the minds of a sizeable cross-section of the delegates who came to the capital to support the present Chiang Kai-shek Govern-

provement in the politico-military provement in the politico-military Plot the Assembly, even though its legality had been challenged from outset by such boycotting King groups as the Chinese Communist Party and the Democratic League. Some delegates, in private conversations, have already expressed their intentions of quitting the Assembly. They were quitting the ed. They maintained that instead of being a healing factor it only deepening the schism and

intensifying the civil war. Many realised that no solutions can be a national solution without the Communists." Many asserted that the National Assembly had only fulfilled a rubber-stamping function-put a seal on a Goveroment decreed constitution. The Assembly was in recess today and would probably be recon-

vened under the chairmanship of

Generalissimo

morning.-Reuter.

600 Deserters

Batavia, Nov. 26. The Truce Commission, consisting of Dutch, British and Indonesian representatives, was ON OTHER PAGES day to be discussing responsible lity for the 600 British and Indian deserters, who were said to have gone into the interior Page Three since the Allied army came to Indonesia. The British hold the yiew

Netherlands East Indies) is

Washington, Nov. 27.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation revealed today that a Nazi diplomat and a German American Bund leader planner o tasassinate King George and Queen Elizabeth of England when they visited Amercia in

The FBI said that the pair were Fritz Weidemann, Conqui. General at San Francisco, and Herman Schwinn, of Los Angeles. Bund leader, later deported as a dangerous alien.

The official refused to say how the plan was discovered.

'A copyright story of the San F: ancisco "Bulletin" said that after the plan was learned, "the the United Kingdom's needs jesty's Government, greatest protective net in hisThe problem is to bring those Marshal Chiang tory' was thrown around the Sing and Queen. And "as a result no opportunity presented

itself to carry out the plot." -- ing on the international markets

Lady Cripps On China Future of Police War Crimes Trial Molotov's Reply Demobilisation Speech

Exports As China's First Need Shanghai, Nov. 27.

The restoration of the export trade was stressed as one of China's first needs for continued development by Sir Leslie Boyce, leader of the British Trade Mission to China-which is leaving for Taiwan and South China this week-end after a six-weeks' tour of North and Central China-in a broadcast to the Chinese people tonight,

said: "Without exports China can have no guarantee of securing essential imports which will be required for the prosecution of development plans for her enormous territory."

Sir Leslie said that to a greater | The reported conclusions of the extent than before the war. Mission won't be released before China's export products match formal presentation to His Maexports properly into line and Ket them to us at prices that bear comparison with those rul-

can export in many parts of the country and we have also learned the difficulties that make their export a hard task, but I canno stress too strongly how importan this question has impressed us" told Reuter today that the findings of the Mission will have no bearing on the Sing-British treaty of commerce, which is expected to be concluded shortly. The trenty is being negotiated on diplomatic level and has not come

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has presented individual acuvenirs to the missioners. Reuter.

Office said today that Britain has asked Lord Wavell to fly generally. to London within the next few Today's forecast! - Light days for consultation on Mos- easterly winds at first, freshenthe Constituent Assembly to becoming cloudy probably with meet on December 9.

Lord Wavell has been in Yesterday's weather: structed to Invite two Congress | Maximum: 815 deg. Fah. Party representatives, two Mos- Minimum: 69 deg. Fah. lem League representatives and Max. Rel. Humidity: 97%. one Sikh to accompany him. Sunshine: 10 hours. Ansociated Press.

Associated Press.

that AFNET (Allied Force, Page Six

of the world." Sir Leslie added: "We have seen the wealth of goods China

the Mission.

responsible for them, the report | Page Eight | Reuter. Test Prospects within the terms of reference of

Highest quarters in Nanking lem League participation in ing from NE; partly cloudy.

head by a 5-lb. tin of UNRRA food as he fought his way up the gangplank. The blow knocked him into the harbour. Some 60,000 Jewish residents, aged 16, from injuries suffered Haifa started a strike and when he jumped from the ship. built bonfires on top of Mount Five injured Jews were rushed Carmel to demonstrate solidarity to a hospital and 17 others to with the refugees. sick bay. .The battle was touched off Scores were puffy-eyed from when the troops boarded the the biggest immigrant tear gas. After order had been restor-

three troopships yesterday.

UNRRA Food Tins

As Riot Weapons

British troops used tear gas, fire hoses and clubs

One soldier was missing and believed to be dead

to quell an hour-long riot of the 3,500 Jewish

refugees as they were being transferred from

the ancient immigration ship "Lochita" to

and 10 others were wounded. Army officers

said the missing soldier was struck on the

ship ever to attempt to run the Palestine blockade. "The blighters were tossing ing the refugees to three Brifull tins of UNRRA food at us," tish transports, presumably for a police officer said. "It was ultimate deportation to Cyprus.

ankie-deep on the dock!" At the height of the fighting, the passengers hung a huge ban- strike of its 60,000 Jewish remer over the ship's side, signed sidents, many of whem de-"Commander-in-Chief of the monstrated on Mount Carmel: Jewish Resistance Movement" Jewish sources said several and reading: refugees were ill and at least

"For every Jew murdered or 100 pregnant women were wounded abourd this ship, you among the ship's passengers, will pay in English blood. You Four babies were been at sea. whave been worned."

The soldiers were repulsed in the ship in Yugoslavia although the first attempt to board the it was believed to have orvessel and returned later with iginally sailed from Constanta tear gas, hoses and clubs. Four Roumania. Associated Press. Sten-gun bursts were fired into the oir but the refugees continued to resist. About 50 Jews Jumped overboard and were picked up. Some 30 others jumped the deck of a tug, but were statunce in the transfer frum prought back.—Associated Press.

Tear Gas seath of one Roumanian Jew ly Reuter.

Most of the passengers joined

Two immigrants, reported to ! have been injured in their rethe ship Lochita died in hos pital this morning. Their The Army confirmed the buriols were carried out quiet-

or make counter-propo- [pop-eyed. The stories, which sals, the United States possibly arpeal to American imaginawill be forced to take unila- tion, are receiving great pub-If the American Government does not want to do this, but his forced by the Far East comaction must be forthcoming at | mission nations-by their refusal to agree on the repara-

> will undertake to divide the diamonds among the claimants along with other Japanese as-There is an appreciable public opinion here, however, that if the gems are from the Japanese individuals, under the iron fist of the now militarists, should be returned to original owners if possible.—

Associated Press. Four In

New York, Nov. 27. The Big Four Foreign Ministers working under a policy mond in Japan, except these of secreey adopted yesterday, the Imperial household which strove today to settle an agreeapparently failed to contribute. ment on the Trieste issue and Experts say the value of the other problems, delaying the gems at the present retail value | final draft of the European

All news of yesterday's sessions was that Trieste and Italian problems were discussed. The meeting from luncheon intil-evening indicated intensified and presumably harmonious effort by the Foreign

Ministers to complete the treaty drafting. Preliminary discussions between Byrnes, Molotov and Bevin appeared to have cleared the atmosphere for the longest secret session since the Minieters held their opening meeting in London in September, 1945.

STOP PRESS

-Associated Press.

New Delhi, Nov. 28. Mr. Jinnah, President of the Moslem League, and Liaquat Alf Khan, the League's secretary, have accepted the British invitation to go to

London. They will leave on Sunday from Karachi. Congress members of the Interim Government will not be going.-Associated Press.

London, Nov. 28. The Cabinet's invitation to the Viceroy and Indian Party leaders for consultation in London represent an eleventh hour bld to prevent civil war in India.

Officially, it was stated that' already the disturbances in Bengal and Bihar amount to "civil war on a small scale." If the Moslems and Sikhs reject the invitation, ... Lord Wavell will come to London before December 1 to give the Cabinet a first hand report on the strife-torn country, The Cabinet hopes Indian

ing communal rioting. So far, there is no British intention to have the Constituent Assembly meeting postponed but, as a last resort, this step will be taken it it. means saving the Cabinet plan -Associated Press.

acceptance of the invitation

may have the effect of arrest-

CRIPPS ON CIVIL

Readers' Letters

Sickened

Sir,-I feel that Miss Bradbury has been led astray in thinking that the W.A.A.F. have never had a ray social round as they have since arrival in Hong Kong. Most of the girls, posted from India would have gladly gone back, given the chance.

Many of us are sickened by the false atmosphere pervading Hong Kong today.

One Of The Fifty

Sir,-As one of the fifty disappointed (?) W.A.A.F. may through the medium of your column be permitted to express are also many things which our regret, at leaving Hong Kong, are only too unpleasant-some-As your reporter so ably pointed times the extremely spiteful out yesterday, it is indeed a snot and to which every W.A.A.F. would which goes on in your paper like to be posted, even if only to between the civilian and the be able to say she had seen one of the farthest flung corners of

advantage of the 'social life and has come to mean out here):

shall meet again in Singapore.

One Tenth

Sir.—Had Miss Bradbury in- thing that displeases me most terviewed individual members of the Women's Auxiliary Air Force can assure her a different artitle would have been printed. , myself, have served in one of with one day off a fortnight. If this man will be I have no idea,

can rightly say on behalf of my colleagues and myself who served during the War in India we gave of our best nursing our sick boys, who were more than appreciative. If Miss Bradbury would care to

send for an article published in Punch' during the latter part of 1943 complimenting us on our excellent work at the hospital she would, surely, agree 'one tenth' is greatly deserved.

Sir; There are many things

malicious correspondence

in Hong Kong which are plea-

sant, but unfortunately there

soldier; sometimes the misera-

ble predominance of the "old

school tie," but I hate what it

telerated in London or Paris;

resemble an oligarchy of an-

cient times. "But perhaps the

and puzzles me most is the

system of justice in the Colony.

Regulations. What the fate of

committed for trial.

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MEDICS: Public Enquiry?

tax in respect of meals and

but why attempt to convict . "Though we are non-political him at all? Is it not known that | we have found passionate inthere are men in this Colony terest in a political war which today who are far more guilty causes such agony to the people of collaboration? Are they not | and stunts every constructive men with wealth, position and effort China is making towards even access to Government rehabilitation." galety which exists here, but it sometimes the nauseating pec- circles? And from this are we Lady Cripps and her party must be admitted that in the usual ple (freshly arrived in the ss. to assume that there is a law were received by Col. in the Colony for the rich Clarke and Mr. Ma Man-fai, situation, though I can only put "Otranto," say) who set themwhich is wholly different from Chairman and Vice-Chairman it so imperfectly. I think few ing particulars:selves up as the leaders of style that for the poor? Let us have of the Sino-British Club, and people are aware of the changes and fashion who, I might say, a public enquiry into the state introduced to many of those which have taken place; "even of affairs in Hong. Kong and present. Among others attend at home there are many who let us see if there is any ing were the G.O.C., Major are only just beginning to owner on the 13th March, 1938. foundation to the accusations of General F. W. Festing, Mr. realize them. It is as if the which the Government's work corruption in the Government T. W. Kwok, Chinese Commis- British people have suddenly which I notice your paper sioner of Foreign Affairs, and rather bravely revealed one many morning but forgot the next. workers. Is Hong Kong to become another Chicago of the 20's and be governed as that city was by a clique of wholly uncrupulous men, or has it become that

charged under the Defence Maybe my letter will not be published, not, I hope, because it could be called malicious but because (I hope again) there is no foundation to the suspicions I have, or even because Wines & Liqueurs there is only too much truth in my insinuations.

AWKWARD.

yesterday has added to

our dependants: tion Allowances granted

everyone of them. out is to get together and take | whose wife is a most skillful steps to do something about it. young brush artist. I found it

of non-interned the plan then there is some

who remained outside to earn pensation paid by loyal subjects belligerent was to win?

so unreasonable as the one for legalising all houses purchased n the occupation days by persons who accumulated moneys by selling their souls, friends

war, we need to be a little more on the Kowloon side, which necesenreful and more considerate to sitated a somewhat tiring journey those faithful to the cause in by truck to and from the outlythe dark days of the war. Any ing stations. In hot weather this be of infinite value. measure which tends to tax proved rather exhausting as well such persons should be curtailed.

who has served in India, Ceylon, stations in Ceylon, but; in pans-Malaya and Hong Kong, I should ing, might I say that the WAAF,

for almost two years, and, natur- take up their old careers where times." ally, they are looking forward they left off, or to get started on I talked to one of my own the East, and for this she must with the keenest anticipation to what they have chosen to do in countrymen who was out here have Peace and gain strength so getting home again disappoint "Civvy Street".

WAR TRAGEDY Inspiring Address To Sino-British Club

There is a definite growth of friendly feeling in China towards Great Britain, and I can say that at home a really large part of the country is China-conscious. The British United Aid to China Fund has played a considerable part in this; and one of the things of most value for the future is our work through schools of all

largely attended.

1 Lady Cripps expressed warm appreciation of the welcome she had received from the people she met everywhere. "The welcome we have received has warmed our hearts," she said

lady social welfare |

"Culture"

Addressing Lady Cripps said: the request to talk about our there is a different approach visit to China. In Shanghai I towards the idea of Empire, dence with the Control Office, the was asked to speak to the Sino-British Cultural Association

into disrepute in various ways reason for this attitude. Surely culture should embrace all make a real contribution to the sides, from the simplest spon- worldtaneous expression of peoples, through their folk songs, dances, clothes, customs and such like things, to the creation of the most beautiful works of art and creative scholarship. "Senier Officers" or, to put"it sary planning, organization and

We have had strenuous weeks, average in the beautiful city of Peiping, thoughts which are shattered especially poignant. How can over bright promises, we link the best of the old with much publicity in the the best of the new-that is one when they were made, of the world's puzzles today. giving refreshment? I found It is unnecessary to add the it standing by the Temple of list of grievances we. Heaven in moonlight, in visiting recently, the only way lover of beautiful things, and

rive in time for Christmas. Secondly, the apinion Hong Kong is the most popular "posting" in the Far East is debatable, as during the last years WAAF have served and, although during the times pretty grim, there are many happy memories for those useful "job of work" was being done. Later, when the War end ed the policy was for Formations dually, the Royal Air Force. company with the other Services reverted in some measure Perhaps this proposal is not peacetime standards, although speaking from a personal angle I, worked on the Clerical Staff of our Headquarters, up to the time of my release, on the basis of an eight-hour day, and personne employed in other branches worked the equivalent. The larger peras adding a little to the "tenth" Thirdly, it is rather difficult to

Thus Lady Cripps, the speaker | listening to the gay and viri at yesterday's meeting of the folk songs and dances in Xenan Sino-British Club, which was and amongst boys and girls of the people in West Kansu.

Detached View

We talk a great deal in our country about education for leisure and how to prevent men and women on monotonous and repetitive work in industry losing their initiative. So very wish to minimise our difficulties platz 1, Vienna, Austria. which are very great, or suggest that we are better than you will, to take with me a require to be submitted in res-E. N. detached historical view of the reached a new political maturity.

There is a great change in outlook from all sides, some would like to see changes come gathering more slowly, others more quickly, but except for these with I feel very much honoured by extreme views on either side Colonial development Trusteeship responsibilities. It is a wiser and humbler approach Department, they should neversaid there I should like to with an ever-growing sense of theless send in a claim to the disinterestedness. We are get-address given above, unless they ting many knocks just now, and are otherwise advised. as I said before, Great Britain

Amazed Now I would like to say a few words about our tour. The British United Aid to China has always stood aside from party thought, though it has composition people of every shade of opinion. This has enabled us carry out the absolutely neces- on our visit to China to sec and talk with people of every kind. and we have been encouraged to transport, and transfers it to situation existed regarding detectives, who searched second And we are supposed lose the creative ability in man do so from all sides. We have the Department of Supplies, them, the police would continue accused found the revolver in his. appreciated this deeply and in Trade and Industry. the North, South, East and West we have been amazed at the way W.M. Thomson, acting D.S.T.I., with hawkers they were an jury who reached a unanimous bers of the White-Collar Class. including a stay of some days and helped different organisations yesterday, called the "Motor ultimate danger to the public decision, first accused said: "I and groups of people doing constructive work. They have told us that the money coming when it did. saved them in desperate situations and how they appreciated the comradeship which lay behind it. Again and again we have found that the unity of purpose between the different organisations who compose the Func

> There is a rising consciousness of nationhood throughout world and so it is with China. If only this patriotism in all nations can be directed away from the narrow interpretation of the past so that the proof of quality is what each nation can contribute C., at the Central Magistracy of its culture and development to the whole, then a new era will

conveys a deep impression.

China's Problems

to express sympathetic under- Sell, defendant was remanded standing of the tremendous diffi- for three days for further enculties China has to face and quiries. defeatist one. This they must people from each side who come to China and the more Chinese who go to Great Britain who have ing, the quicker good relations

contacts can be invaluable. During our, wide tour I have steadily gained conviction of the superb qualities and greatness of the Chinese people. All the initial stages of coordinated admin istration have still to come into being and this is a terrific task in a country this size. where I feel we can make a real contribution, because of our own experience, and if we come forward now and meet this desire

free thought and expression. New Times

Claims On Property Austria

The Austrian Government are introducing a series of laws for the restitution to the owners or their heirs of property in Austria of which they were wrongfully dispossessed after the 13th March, 1938, either arbitrarily or in accordance with the National Socialist discriminatory Laws, which have now been abrogated.

The first of such restitution laws together with an enabling ordinance came into force on September 17, 1946. Claims from persons resident outside Austria should be addressed to the Federal many things have happened in Ministry for Property Control and Great Britain lately. I do not Economic Planning, Ballhaus-

No specially printed claim form is required but separate anyone else. I want you, if claims in triplicate, in German, pect of each property and such claims should contain the follow-

(a) An accurate description of the property to be restored. (b) Name and address of the

(c) Name and address of the owner on the date of confiscation. (d) Name and address of the owner on the date that the claim

. (e) Any available evidence in

support of the claim. Attention is drawn to the fact that even though persons may already have been in corresponand Trading with the Enemy Department, or any other Government

The Control Office for Germany and is often dismissed by much does not wish to set itself up as and Austria cannot enter into phrases as "Oh, that stuff is a paragon. But I would like to any correspondence with regard too high-brow for me." I think emphasise and assure you that to those claims. All such corthere is this change and that I respondence should be addressed believe it will enable her to to the Austrian Ministry.

Control Of

Vehicles (Allocation and Con- health as well as being a block did not intend to shoot. As I trol) Order, 1946," to the effect to traffic. that no one shall, without permission from the authorized casier for a robbery to be com- Lordship to treat me leniently." officer, sell or buy any vehicle mitted in a street full, of Second accused asking His to which the order applies.

The order applies only vehicles manufactured earlier than Jan. 1, 1945, and ceases to apply after 9 calendar street hawkers blocked the path old baby will starve to death." months after the date of its of the fire engines. first importation in the Colony

O. el Arculli, 33, was charged before Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K

Defendant is employed at th One of the things we can do is At the request of Inspector H

and Mrs. M. B. Knapp, 30a, Nevern-place, S.W.5.

advance he watched was most resurprised even themselves! There I will not keep you longer, but

I want to end on this note: The tragedy of Civil War has entered deep into me. It seems

NEW C.P. ON H.K. POLICE FORCE

Hong Kong's new Commissioner of Police, Mr. Duncan William MacIntosh, holding his first press conference yesterday afternoon, sald that a permanent policy toward banditry in Hong Kong and Kowloon is the first imports ant job of the police force.

'All our efforts at the moment are being concentrated on this," said Mr. MacIntosh, and added that he hoped to put mobile units into the New Territories as soon as possible.

he dealt will be. ference yesterday efficiently and European and Chinese reporters, involving all branches of future police policy.

police force was now working job of work. "We must under with makeshift equipment, Mr. MacIntosh said: "We need was taken over on liberation suitable apparatus for our water patrol units, police communicaticas need attention and the situation of radio cars will have to be explored.

"A certain amount of army aid will be necessary until we have built the police force up to more like the pre-war in equipment mechanism."

The Commissioner felt efficient mechanisation was mended by Mr. Justice T. J. a big asset to a modern police Gould, Acting Puisne Judge, at

scales of Chinese police in the armed men in the street. Colony and asked whether he living. I realise very well that respectively. if you want honesty you have to pay for it."

A statement that bribery which they accepted and six rounds of ammunition. because they needed the money. . According to the evidence, the brought the reply: "I am not two accused were seen in Shangaware how much bribery is hat Street at 6 p.m. on Oct, B. As rampant but I am investigating the detectives went up to scarcla the conditions of service."

to take steps. He pointed out girdle. An order was issued by Mr. that if streets were jammed After being found guilty by the

He stressed that it was nothing to say but beg Your

Colony's police force now ly into consideration before ennumbered 3,200 men, and was tering on criminal acts. not yet up to full strength. "We are short of staffs of all kinds." he said, "but after only 12 months of freedom from the Japanese, 2,500 men have been trained and put on the street. I hope that in six months and certainly with a year, we sliall be fully manned both in Hong Kong and the New Ter- two days, the bears got the ritorics.

Chinese S.J.s.

that there had recently been and seasawed between that large applications for police figure and \$16.20-a tempting recruiting from the Chinese margin for profit-takers. It community. Two hundred Chin- closed at \$15.20. ese had already been kitted and Gold was again firm. the first lectures on their tuations ranged between \$319 training began yesterday morn- and \$323 a tael. The latter ing. Said Mr. MacIntosh: "We was the opening rate. At the want a Chinese higher ranking close it was \$320, contingent of 400 men."

said that a number of European nominal at ... 83 inspectors had not returned CN\$1,000, Spot to Hong Kong owing to ill \$1.131/2. health and possibly shipping difficulties. When they did return, the European inspector tralian pounds at \$12.55,6 quota would be full.

Mr. MacIntosh said he was senior posts as far as I am follows: concerned as long as they have adequate training and qualifications," he said. The employment of Indian policemen was

still under consideration. Dealing with queries about extortion notes and bomb explosions in Hong Kong over. Investigations into Police Station explosion not yet been completed.

Give Us A Chance

After only five days in the is very much appreciated't said Colony, Mr. MacIntosh-s Scot Mr. MacIntosh. "We cannot

questioning from interested immediately we can do some

The Commissioner said that on the whole, Hong Keng's Pointing out that the Colony's police were doing a very good stand" he said "that the force

They were Yau Tsoi. Chart thought they succumbed to Ming, Tai Pak-hong, Li Pakbribery in an effort to make Hung Hon-cheung and Lau Hinge their pay up to reasonable living. The two accused, Chan Ping and requirements, Mr. MacIntosh Ho Fu were sentenced to eight said: "I am going into this years' hard labour and 12 strokes question immediately and am of the cane and four years, hard trying to sort out the cost of labour and 12 strokes of the cane,

them, first accused drew his re-Defining his views on police volver and attempted to fire One

have been found guilty, I have.

hawkers because of the con- Lordship for leniency said: "The gestion. Also, in the event of a gun did not belong to me. Should fire, it would be unfortunate. I be imprisoned, my 70-year-old if the presence of a mob of mother, wife and her six-months-His Lordship said that the ac-

Yesterday was again a hectic day for speculators in the Plastre, but unlike the previous best of the bargain

Opening at \$17.10 per/1000 Piastres the rate shot up to: The Commissioner revealed 317.95 but from there it receded

Chinese National Currency

In answer to a question, he was lifeless. Futures remained.

U.S. dellars were \$4.74 Sterling at \$15.50 and Aus-

S'hai Exchange -7

Closing quotations on the

Gold per ounce. 266,500 267,500 U.S. Dollar Hong Kong Dollar 030 ... 850 -Associated Press.

An exhibition of paintings by Cheung Kok-cho opens in the MacIntosh said he did not think Asia Life Building (sixth any money had yet been paid floor) today, remaining outen the till Monday next. During 1942. had Mr. Cheung made a trip to Chungking via Kwangsi and Kweichow, and he recently te-He revealed that there were turned here via Nanking and a number of public spirited Shanghai. A major portion of people in the Colony who had his 100 exhibits is of

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Bills to be moved by the Attorney-General for second and third readings at today's Legislative Council meeting

I. An ordinance to amend the H. K. Police Reserve Or-2. An ordinance to amend the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899.

3. An ordinance to provide for the licensing of tallyclerks. 4. An ordinance to amend the summary offence ordinance,

5. Ar. ordinance to impose a intoxicating liquors sold in certain establishments.

The J.C.S. Sir,—Your timely editorial determination to struggle for a decent living standard. Many of us are in the Service for so long that we cannot take the risk of resigning, because of

The measly pittance that we are supposed to live on does | One of the keys' to Life, we not even equal the Accommode- have got to discover is how to more correctly, the Sterling-paid mass production and yet not our families on our which keeps him from dcincomes and at the same time veloping into a pure automaton.

locally-recruited Civil Servant where since the re-occupation is a always with me but with a catch at the end of Where did I find my own peace-

suffer. As somebody said some- a friend who is a scholar and

New Angle Sir, Concerning your cor- to shipping commitments, to arrespondent, "Concerned's" ter on the payment of accrued ployees of the Government. authorities refuse to sanction

justice... their living be given the and ex-political prisoners, who have every right to expect preferential treatments others who waited to see which

and country to the enemy.

I. I. WENG

Women's Auxiliary Air Force life" in some of the lonely out-

ment, howevery bas been express-

ed that it was not possible, owing

many parts of India and Ceylon. conditions of service were some served there, where it was felt a to move further East, and, gra-If we want to prevent another centage of WAAF were employed

understand Miss Bradbury's remarks about the social round. Naturally, one does not expect to Sir,-As an ex-member of the find a super-abundance of "social

"EX-WAAF".

take an objective attitude and not also do themselves. The more patient, sympathetic understand-

for cooperation in the apirit. which it is asked. I believe it will If we understand the point of view of progressive and liberalminded forces, should these meet with suspicion or suppression, they will feel a link with those in the outside world who are behind them in their struggle for

like to make a few comments on who came to Hong Kong from said I would like to read a para- and misunderstanding that people Miss Margaret Bradbury's article cities in India, found life here graph of a speech my husband are in danger of losing their entified "H.K. WAAF's' to be rather dull in comparison. made to the World Youth Convision and forgetting the issue at Sent Away' which appeared in The general opinion I think gress in London in October 1945: stake. Whilst they quarrel your paper today.

Firstly, the "disappointed six they feel a very useful job of completely new approach to the In these days there are no nations force women" on board, the work has been done, and, for formulation of world policies for whose development does not the same of "Arundel Castle" will be rather those who find Service Life is not the future. We cannot, if we affect the whole world. It is an hard to find, as the greater ma- their particular niche are an- would set back the clock of his- over simplification to talk of one jority of WAAF- now serving in ziously looking forward to the tory; we must therefore adapt single nation's direct relation-Hong Kong have been Overseas time when they will be free to our own thinking to the new ships with any one other. China

peace in 1935-7. He said the world in cooperation with others. danger to themselves. "This made of his trip.

An Extraordinary issue of the Hong Kong Government Gazette, issued yesterday cancels the appointment of Major raids on street hawkers, Mr. of the detectives, Yau Tagi T. R. Mitchell as competent MacIntosh declared that as long snatched the revolver and hit him authority in respect of motor as the present disorganised over the head with it. The other

DOCKYARD CASE

yesterday, with unlawful session of bearings. Royal Naval Dockyard.

The engagement is announced between Capt. Nicholas I. D. Williams, R.M., 42 Commando, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Williams, St. Buryan Cornwall, and Dawn Vyvyan will develop because personal; only child of Mr. and Mrs. E R. Hill, of Hong Kong, grand-daughter of the Colonel N. Manders, A.M.S.

> markable and that the Chinese is a familiar sound to me in this, because" with all our difficulties, (and of these I hope our Chinese friends will also show understanding), Great Britain has also quite in favour of Chinese surprised berself in the way she policemen holding high posihas steadled up and got going tions. "They will have an with her trade and turning over avenue right through to the ! Shanghai market today were as from War to Peace.

as if the whole situation has be-To reinforce what I have just come so tied up with bitterness is needed as a stabilising force in during the two years China had as to play her own part in the given the police information at landscapes and scepic wisers

with a strong accent, and a have an efficient force without keen sense of humour seems to public cooperation. The sooner abibed a thorough know- a complaint is made to police ledge of Hong Kong's present personnel or reported at stapolice problems. At the con- tions the quicker the action openly with "If the public give us a chance thirty minutes of quick fire to get to any suspicious scene

Six Chinese detectives attached to the Yaumati and Mongkok Pohe lice Stations were warmly contthe Criminal Sessions yesterday Questioned on the salary for effecting the arrest of two

Chan was found guilty of possession of a revolver and four rounds of ammunition and of ata tempting to discharge a revolver at the Chinese detectives with inpolicemen tent to resist arrest, while Ho was were surrounded by convicted for possession a revolver

Mr. MacIntosh said that the cused should have taken his famile.

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quiring transport who have NOT

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NOTICE

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'VICTORIOUS' AND

HT 'ARUNDEL

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is authorised to receive leading reports have appeared the New Territories, and, in

chase from H.M. Dock- and procedure for disembarking facilities which should be pro-

TIMES OF ARRIVAL. HMAC

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Embarkation Commandant

sengers ; from

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W. H. HUSBAND,

Major

the 5th December and

(1) above of quantities as they DOCKING. HMAC VIC. Urban Council Office,

alongside but will

in the Kowloon Wharves.

CHOCOLATES AND CANDY Defence Witnesses' Evidence In War Trial

Tramway Ordinance

Under a bill which is to be read before the Legislative Council today for the first time, amending the Tramway Ordinance of 1902, fines authorised by Sect. 37 of the ardinance will now not exceed \$100 (instead of \$10), with or without further penalties for continuing offences of \$50 (instead of \$5):

following a report from the Tramway: Company that the fines originally authorised "are Enadequate and have little or no effect as a deterrent on offenders."

The rest of the bill brings various provisions of the original ordinance more in keeping with the times. For instance. Sect. 54, which provided a scale of charges for the transport of animals and goods, is abolished, as the trams are only designed for the carriage of passengers.

The current fares of 20 and 10 cents now cover "from any -point-on-the-tramway--to-theterminus indicated on tramcar"-i.e. it will now no longer be possible for a Shaukiwan passenger to travel part of the way on a Happy Valley tram and then change to th tram he should have boarded originally.

Peak Passed In Smallpox

the value and effectiveness of vaccinations against smallpox than was informed by one of the ting hurt on June 5. As far as the fact that as a result of anti- guards that Flynn was shouting witness knew, nothing happened smallpox drive now being carried in his room. He last saw Flynn to any of the POWs under Nakaout by the Health Services, the in the hospital at Kohutsu." number of cases last week was reduced from 31 to 28 cases per POWs matches, and tea from day, disclosed a Government his own water bottle. Nakajima Kawano Mitsutoshi, said that he spokesman yesterday.

marked the passing of the 1,000,000 great interest in the planting of to receive a signal message re- parts (especially steel tyres) tions carried out in Hongkong punished because he treated was handed to the Camp Comsince January 1st. At least half POWs well. public Health Services drive over that a letter was received from the last few weeks.

Urging the population to take that Flynn had been spokesman said that it was hoped ed to the Camp Commandant. vaccinated.

He added that it was more than Kohutsu because it was ever necessary for the community healthy spot. to take every precaution against In August, 1945, an order was his boat capsized and was drownsmallpox and that the duties of given for all POWs to be the public should not be neglected assembled at a certain point. simply because there had been a After the termination reduction in the number of small- hostilities, the War Ministry

H. Sansom, the retiring Com- left behind. Witness had never missioner of Police, received heard any complaints regarding through the Hon. Dr. S. N. ill-treatment of POWs. Chau.

known philanthropist who has War Crime and sentenced to ing at the time, but Nakajima the Aberdeen Industrial School, No. 5 War Crimes Court on in the evening. He eventually Harbour Master. has kindly offered to make a Oct. 14) testified that POWs at succeeded in obtaining the requirmonthly donation on behalf of Kinkaseki worked in the mines, ed pork and prepared a fine pork certain boys whom he was helping during the occupation. officer between the This offer has been gratefully Medical Officers and the POW accepted by the Executive Com- Headquarters. As injured ness. This was known by every- Hongkong, 26th Nov., 1946,

Pork Soup As

Tamaki Koji, a defence witness in the War Crimes Trial of Lieut. Suzukl Nobuo, Lieut. Tahara Iwao, Sergt. Major Furuo Tatsuo and Sergt. Nakajima Mitoshi, said at yesterday's hearing that a POW named Daly was seen eating chocolates and candy and appeared to be very happy when Allied planes were dropping parcels.

This bill has been drawn up Yamaguchi Kiyoshige, last witness for the de-.fence, claimed that Nakajima was a very sympathetic man and was always kind to POWs. Tamaki Koji declared that he | Medical authorities, he did not

As the POW Medical Ser-

then spoke nto

During July, 1945, Furue was

Witness did not hear anything

patient, who answered "O.K."

suffering from malaria and was

admitted to hospital, where he

about a POW named Flynn get-

August Move

ed very rapidly above Shinten.

Several accidents occurred on

who went fishing on the river had

soldiers of a certain Unit who at-

tempted to go down the river by

The last witness for the de-

sence, Yamaguchi Kiyoshige, de-

clared that Nakajima was a very

sympathetic man and was always

kind to POWs. He frequently

gave fruit to the sick POWs and

also eigarettes to other POWs.

Pork Soup

jima prepared pork soup for

As far as witness knew. Naka-

soup for the POWs,

boat were also drowned.

The next defence witness,

camphor injection. The

knew a POW by the name of know if any POW was injured Daly, but could not say whether | round about August, 1945. or not this POW had been Witness remembered punished. He saw Daly with occasion when Furuo acciden- gift. not admitted to Hospital, but not present when this POW was till 10 a.m. on Monday, Dec. 2, to about a week,

Witness saw Daly at Matsu- thought that he was suffering yama after the termination of from exposure to the sun. hostilities, when -Allied planes POW Medical Sergeant was were dropping parcels. Daly present and when witness enwas enting chocolates and candy quired if this was the cause, and appeared to be very happy; the latter replied that he did Witness did not see any wound | not know. on his face.

POWs arrived at Kchutsu in geant was in possession of some groups. . After the arrival of injection, witness asked if an the second group towards the injection would relieve the end of May, 1945, work on the POW on the ground. cultivation farm was begun on | Sergeant replied. "O.K." witness then administered

Saw Flynn

Witness saw Flynn' lying down on June 5. At that time, Nakajima was with the "sweetpotato party." Witness could not remember to which party remained until Aug. 24. Nothing could better illustrate Flynn was attached. Flynn was admitted into hospital. Witness!

Witness saw Nakhjima giving He said that Tuesday night while in South Formosa took a

mandant, who read it. This mesof these had been done during the Cross-examined, witness said sage said that sick POWs could be left behind. Witness did not Lieut.-Col. Crossley stating accompany the party on, advantage of the free smallpox No mention was made in this community service which was be- letter as to who had beaten between Shinten and Kohutsu. Nobody was allowed to go down ing offered by the authorities, the Flynn. The letter was addressthis river by boat because it flow-

that by the end of year, the en- The next defence witness, tire population would have been Kawabara Hirchi, said that it ferrying was allowed. was decided to open a Camp at a this river. A friend of witness

ordered that POWs gather at Keelung for embarkation. The Salvation Army acknow- the same time as this notificaledges a generous contribution tion was issued, it was also of \$1,000 received from Mr. C. stated that sick POWs could be

Liaison Officer. Mr. Au Boon Haw, the well guilty of having committed a difficult to obtain. It was rain-Uneo Mitsuo (who was found Witness acted as liaison POW POWs were all treated by POW one. He was originally a farmer

DEPARTURES

Arrivals at the Penincula Hotel Include Mr. P. Miller, Mr. J. E. Wood, Mr. Don B. Martin, Mr. J. H. L. Monk, Mr. A. V. S. Stryker and Major-General Thomas Les (Chinese Army). .

Recent departures from the Penintula Hotel include Mrs., Lovina and two children, Mr. E. Ghenti, Miss C. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. B. Orel; Mr. and Mrs. M. Alzate, Mr. J. Corominas, Major R. S. Wiggins and Mr. J. C. Drager.

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The Shaukiwan Route will remain as at present but all Happy Valley and Causeway Bay cars will turn back at Western Market. There will be no tramcars between Kennedy was originally a farmer and knew all about the move of Town and Western Market. This POWs from Kohutsu in August is a temporary arrangement 1945. He went to Headquarters only pending the arrival of spare. garding sick POWs. The message from Europe.

> It is understood the China Motor Bus Company ... operate a restricted service buses between Western Market

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Failure to do so will result When the POWs arrived in in the Mooring being lifted and Formosa on Nov. 14, 1941, Nakaremoved.

Persons proposing to lay -: the Abardeen Industrial Calculation of the Sentenced to ing at the time, but Nakajima obtain permission from the mooring must first consult and

> J. JOLLY, Harbour Master.

jima was a very straightforward Harbour Department,

and had an aged mother. Witness not think that Nakajima would do anything bad. On one occasion, Nakajima handed witness a quantity of augar for distribution to sick POWs and the latter were very

his jaw bandaged. Daly was tally struck a POW. He was The case was then adjourned stayed in his own hut. The struck, but was called to the enable the prosecution and debandage was on Daly's jaw for spot by Furus. He saw the fence to prepare their closing 12 Noon, Saturday, 7th December, POW lying on the ground and addresses.

Owing to force of circum- Tender.

There was a river which flowed and Whitty Street.

L. C. F. BELLAMY General Manager

There were four places where Hongkong, 26th Nov., 1946.

HONG KONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

Hongkong, 25th Nov., 1946.

MEMBERS GUESTS attending the Cocktail Party on 30th instant are requested to note that ADMISshould register them with this SION IS BY TICKET ONLY office before December 31st and these cannot be obtained at the door.

D. S. ROBB

Hongkong, 25th: Nov., 1946.

NOTICE

The French Convent Past Students' Association will be reorganised at an "At Home" which will take place at the French Convent School, Causeway Bay, on Saturday, November 30th., 1946; from 17:00 to 19:00 hours. All Past Students. are expected to attend the function.

Sister HENRI. Head Mistress. French Convent School. Hongkong, 26th Nov., 1946.

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sider the future use, develop-

private persons or associations-

VICTORIOUS' is expected on presentatives of clubs, associa-

ARUNDEL CASTLE on the forward in writing to the

sailing signals ex Singapore are question that they may wish the

ships agents, Messrs. Mackimon | GIVEN that the Fifty-third

It is regretted that coving to Directors and receiving their

service requirements NO per. Report together with State-

mission can be accorded for any ments of Accounts for the year

person to board HMAC ended 31st December, 1941, and

'VICTORIOUS'. Relatives and for the period 1st January,

Members of the public, re-

tions etc., are hereby invited to

Committee to consider.

Hongkong, 22nd Nov., 1946.

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Road Central, Victoria, Hong

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December, 1946, at NOON, for

the purpose of confirming the

appointment of the Board of

1942, to 31st December, 1945.

By Order of the Board of

Directors.

R. TAYLOR.

Manager & Secretary.

Hongkong, 4th Nov., 1946.

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CEMENT COMPANY.

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Distinguishing numbers

Holders are also requested to

Dated at Hong Kong this 29th

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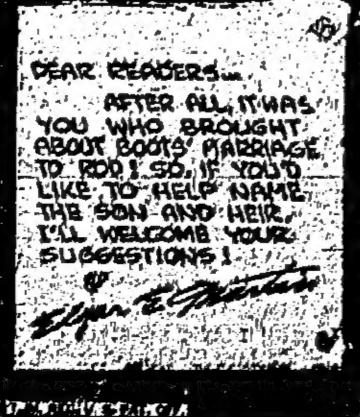


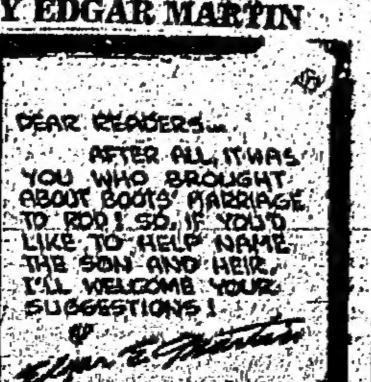


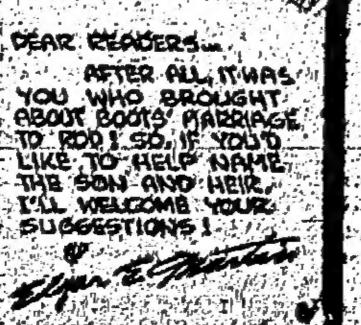


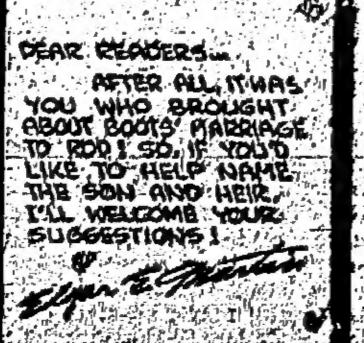


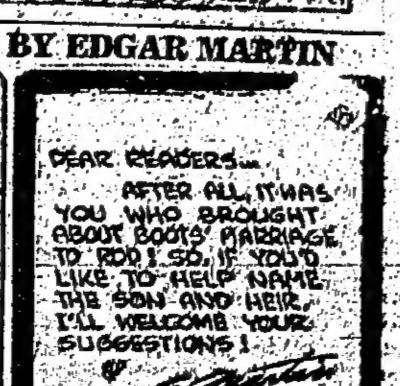


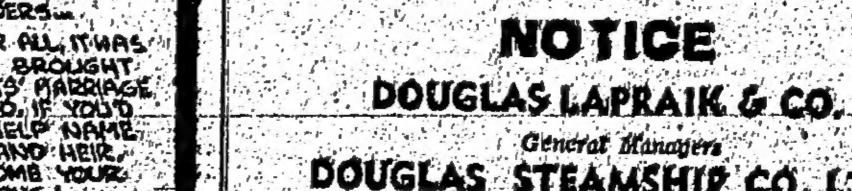












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GERMANY'S DEVELOPMENT

The British Cabinet his now considering the proposals that have now emerged from Washington after protracted negotiations regarding financial responsibility for the joint Anglo-American Zone. The plan calls for equal shares in a £250,000,000 fund, spread over three years. In broadcast an appeal for sub- Its traditions go back thousands! China's appreciation of Brie! tion of over £40,000,000 to the public response to her broad- Britain began. Its civilisation, expressed in a cabled message tributing to the cost of the Bri- sicent. tish Zone in Germany. More than that it would make serious inroads into Britain's dollar resources. These resources are already over-strained by the need to purchase essential commodities at rising prices in the United States and to liquely the large quantity of blocked sterling by the middle of June, in conformity with the Anglo-American loan agreement The British negotiators have contended that they are not able undertake responsibility for more than a small proportion, say 20 per cent., of the required German development loan. They have argued that other countries with vastly better claims for help than Germany-for instance Holland and Belgium-bave applied for development loans to Britain and have had to be refused for lack of necessary funds. But the Americans are insisting that Britain must bear at least an equal share of the loan. The outlook is not pleasing and it is a serious decision that the Cabinet is being asked to make. Nevertheless, the intractable, problems of the economic unification of Germany and of Russia's refusal of reciprocity must be dealt with, by some form of compromise if the most satisnothing in return has never been explained. In default of agreement with Russia a very secondbest resource is the inter-zone arrangement with the Americans now being negotiated in Washington. Germany and, as the report of the Select Committee has just shown, Austria too constitute the major world problem confronting the United_ Nations jointly and severally. Our reputation and our interest alike demand that our own contribution

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reasonable reproach.

Women Launderers the other day, Mr. Robert R. Hyde, direct can be no denying that, flunomocharge sixpence more than the world we shall; advertise for than those of the sweep. There fluonomist.

The United Aid To China Fund

Lasting Friendship For China And Her People

The British United Aid to aims and objects in their British business houses who in the Far East.

Rev. Ronald Hall, Bishop of these two great peoples. He felt that one unified drive numerous scattered, though well-intentioned, efforts by separate organisations.

The United Aid to China Fund is therefore the only organisation in Britain supported by public subscription, which supplies financial aid Madame Chiang Kai-shek for equipment of relief centres i China and for easing the suffering of the Chinese people.

Lady Cripps was invited effect, this would mean an addi-scriptions to the Fund. The of years before the history of | tain's aid was perhaps best subsidy of £80,000,000 yearly cast was overwhelming and she culture and art were established sent by Madame Chiang Kol-

their support to the United Aid against Japan has shown, they to China Fund are the British value liberty and are willing to ference of British Missionary maintain it. China must Societies, the China Associa- with us at the Councils of the tion, China Campaign Commit- | World. tee, the United Committee for Christian Universities in China. and the China Medical 'Aid

United Aid to China Fund on in China launched by the Lord | safety of civilisation. Mayor of London at the Mansion House soon after the invasion of China in 1937.

£2,000,000 Raised

Fund's operation the British people have contributed nearly two million pounds for alleviation of distress in China. This contribution, it should be remembered, is entirely and above the British tribution to UNRRA and British missionary-and Red Cross

Since the relief of suffering is the principal aim of the United Aid to China Fund it was necessary to bring home, factory method is refused. Why to the people of Britain-who we go on, unlike the Americans, themselves suffered greatly sending dismantled industrial during the war-the magnitude plant to Russia when we get of the effort made by China and the distress suffered by her

From the Fund's headquarters in London's fashionable shopping boulevard, New Bond Street, went out teams speakers, lecturers and organisers, backed by printed publicity material-pamphlets, booklets, posters, showcards, and eyen films - to tell China's story to the people of Britain. They roused the British people to a new consciousness of the significance of China's part in the modern world. should be beyond the scope of

Publicity Campaign

A special booklet produced for the guidance of local organisers of the Fund set forth very clearly the committee's

the Industrial Welfare logical tendencies using the ex-Society, deplored a modern ten- pression to denote a general urge ones comes second. But just as bewitched by to coin, or rather forge, high- important as those, on many words." (Had he, perhaps, been sounding words of a pseudo- hands, is counting the number distracted unduly by speculations classical and revolting kind-are of entries into one holding or as to why his audience were not on the increase. A certain masolaundresses?) Het then chistic relish can be found in folthe case of a chimney- lowing these tendencies to their in Sussex who described logical outcome in the future. In as a fluonomist and a brave, or anyhow a bold, new ordinary sweep. The fluoromist diurnaide when we want a daily is not new, but is one of the ear- help. The official who comes to lier specimens of a long and re- see about the drains will be a grettably vigorous line of etymo-saniquizocrat, the once humble logical bastards, like the beauti- other rank will be a privibatant. cian, the paratrooper and the We shall speak of literary critics 15 1 10 4 2 HQJ103 W E H2654 DJ1064 B DQ2 CAJ752 usherette, whose claims to de facto as biblioprobes and the trains will legitimacy are periodically assail- be driven by locoductors. Crowd ed by the Junior Burgess for Ox- will assemble to watch the greyford University. They are not to hounds at leporaptordromes and be confused with the outwardly the ferret will as likely as not bemore respectable but equally come a conevictor. Purists, sil adious bureau-cratologisms which there are any of them left among the Junior Burgess for the rival our descendants, will have a rough institution put in the pillory when ride from the gramapundits or vulnerable.)
he recently suggested that the stylarbiters of their day. But South West North Minister of Health would, if he fashion is fickle and fluonomists, 18 could, call wet nurses "practition-like golden girls and boys, must ers of vicarious "lactation." The come in the end to dust. Having fluonomist belongs to the same looked thus far ahead, it is perstock as the camidrome and the missible to look a little farther! aquacade—unsightly polysyllables to the day when some observant cannibalized from real words in dignitary addressing, it may be order to make the thing they purt this same Launderettes. Philoport to describe sound nobler and bund-will announce that he has more impressive. That they very discovered in a remote country often succeed in this is witnessed district a fluonomist describing losing declarers then led the against 3-No Trumps, why by the fact that the services of the himself as a sweep, and charging club 4 to the Q, returned North should South read the whole "Yes," he said, "it is, but we fluonomist cost sixpence more sixpence more than the ordinary with the spade K and led the spade situation, even if the also have very very few persons

China Fund was called into publicity campaign: "It must be pay the entire cost. being in 1941, when China was remembered," said the bookles, still fighting practically alone "that publicity in connection with the Fund will do much to rouse, and where already Its origin was largely due to aroused, to keep alive, the the efforts made by the Rt. spirit of friendship between

"It is not enough that such with one centralised . "power a friendship should exist behouse" would be more effective tween statesmen and in the Fund. But it is upon the local Embassies. Nor should it of China and Britain work together on a friendly basis, even though" this be to the mutual advantage of both peoples. The friendship which will do most China depends. to maintain the Peace of the people of Britain for the people of China. This is not only desirable; it is essential.

more or less primitice stage. Among over 70 British na- Its people are peaceful and tional organisations which lend peace-loving. But as the stand Red Cross Society, the Con- sacrifice life and property to

Deeper Understanding

"It is imperative that nothing A great send-off to the new should be left undone which would encourage a deeper units inception in 1942 was the derstanding between the two gratitude the friendship and merging with it of the British peoples, not only for mutual Fund for the Relief of Distress advantage in trade, but for the

"It is for this reason that the United Aid to China Fund must go on, developing branches in every town and village in Britain. The relief of dis-In the four years of the tress is the immediate aim; but when the last sirens have sounded throughout the world, when Peace once again spreads her wings, it is hoped that the Fund will have established foundation upon which a lasting friendship for China and her people will be built."

> It should be borne in mind that nearly all the work of raising money for the United Aid to China Fund has been done by voluntary workers. The cost of operating the Fund has never been more than 60% of the money subcribed-for every 21 donated by the people of Britain 18/9d, goes to people of China. Even the cost of printing pamphlets and publicity material is usually borne, by the generosity

> > MAKE ANOTHER

ENTRY

sure tricks in sight is the first

step in planning play for a Ne

Trump game. Looking over the

develop the needed additional

the other, in order to bring in

the additional tricks. If that

is done, carefully, the declarer

may see the need of making an

additional entry by overtaking

some high card with a higher

one in the opposite hand,

SK 6.3

SAQ98

H-A 8 7-2

D.A 9 7 5.

Pass

(Dealer: South, Neither side

Pass SNT

almost all tables of a big dupli-

cate game, and West in each

case led his heart Q. All of the

No Trump declarers should

have made the game, but

Obviously the first trick was vuluerable.)

won by dummy's heart K. The If West leads the spade

several of them slipped.

That contract was reached ut

possible place or places

Counting up the number ef

BARCLAY ON

By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

Local Committees

At the London headquarters a team of trained, charity organisers headed by Organising Secretary Mrs. Vera Miller (who has accompanied Lady Cripps on her China tour) supervise the efficient running of the voluntary committees, up and sufficient that the industrialists down the land, sometimes in villages, sometimes, in factorles, sometimes in schools, that the continued success and steady contribution to the relief of

Though the Fund was ori-World is the friendship of the ginally designed to meet the urgent needs of war it continues into the peace and Lady Cripps' present visit to China is an augury of fature aid from "China is a great country. Britain's to this country. was persuaded to become Pre- while the West was still at a shek to Lady Cripps early this year. This is what the message "Magnificent achievement of

British United Aid to China in raising in war-torn Britain large sum of nearly two million sterling placed heavy responaibility upon those of us entrusted with its distribution. Money was allocated on broadest basis to over sixty Social Service Hospitals, Orphanages, Religious, Educational and Relief Organisations. The Chinese people will ever remember with goodwill of the British people Putocki of Montalk. to us in our lean war years.

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MEN'S LOTIONS-COLOGNES AFTER SHAVING M Dek wener 712

"Well, wellt Hi-yah, Stinky, old fellar?"......

The Man Who Seeks Clash With Russia

who calls openly for war with because he does not see any other Russia, preferably tomorrow way of getting himself recognised

man of 43 who is recognised by the British Government as Geof- throne. Wladyslaw Vaile, Count

fused and strode out.

A Night Under Swedish Drinking Laws

that in every sense of the word, west, and least-a drink you've got to eat, and where else and Gin. but a restaurant in Sweden can you eat, there, being no such thing as a bar with free lunch, peanuts in a glass bowl, or a soda fountain sandwich.

Visitors, Americans and Britons in particular, find the country's not strange.

For instance: restaurant to go to, although eaten un your ration. many of these restaurants actually are night clubs as Americans

You start off with your dinner and, the waiter almost automatically brings you Schnappsa national firewater which is sort

then set up. East won it with

the A. but the J was still out

and only one re-entry remained

in the dummy. The rest of that

suit was therefore hopeless.

After the diamond Q was re-

turned to the K, South decided

to try for a trick with an even

split of either spades or din-

monds. But it didn't work, so

all that he got was three tricks

in spades, two in hearts, two

Where the contract was made,

the declarer, after winning the

led the club K, dropping , his

own Q, and then the 10, which

the J. won. Back in dummy with

the spade K, he knocked out

the club A with the 9 while

having the diamond K as a re-

entry. So he was able to score

a second club trick with the 8,

fence took only two tricks

clubs and two in hearts.

Tomorrow's Problem

DQJ986.

S K 9 3

H-Q 10-7

D A 10-7

C 10 9 8 6

(Dealer: North North-Sout

in diamonds and just one

clubs, a total of eight.

Sweden's cafe society is just of an alcoholic blending of the This is largely because to drink tastes like a cross between Vodka About the time you're through

your first a youngish man comes

around and sells you a permit to dance. It costs about a quarter. You finish your Schnapps an order another. But all the time

drinking laws extremely quaint, if | you're eating, or you'd betiter be It is when you order a third Schnapps that Sweden's drinking You decide to go to someplace law sits down at your table and to dine and dance. There's only a stares you, in the face. You've

How then, do you get another drink? You decide you're still hungry and tell the waiter so. It

By E. GILMORE

he understands you he brings on a plate of green peas.

If you want another Schnapps (and you'd be surprised at the jail on a blackout charge and annumber of people who do) you've other three for hitting a constable got to order another plate of peas whether you've eaten the first argued unsuccessfully: "Your

Brandy, the waiter informs

you, is now in order, but to get a shot of this you've got to order coffee. But after that brandy. you've generally had the works. You can't got any more. At this point your Swedish ruler, friends then show you'd other phases of their ingenuity. You get up, pay your bill, walk out in one of the pleasant parks nearby,

re-enter the restaurant, sit down at another table and for all practical purposes, you can start al over again with the entire operation; beginning with an "initial" This is the law, but in Sweden,

as elsewhere, there are taurants and restaurants and places and places and customs and customs. For instance, a group of us

went to a restaurant and order opening heart with dummy's R. ed whisky (without food) -and

> "How come?" I asked. "Oh," said a Swedish gentleman, they hear us speaking English and, to be frank, we don't look like liquor spies." "Liquor spies!" "Yes," he explained. "Stock-

holm's full of them. Why, I've enough for game; as the de- even had them tap my telephone "How does a liquor spy look?" friend with real feeling.

There's another habit connected with cafe drinking (and cut ing) which should be mentioned. After leaving a restaurant your Swedish friend—if he has brought you in his automobilealmost always will call a taxi and leav. his car parked louiside. "Why?" I maked, "You've had only one glass of Schnapps al

But that's enough," he exnlained, "to. get me . 30 days jail: I don't have to be drunk don't have to have an accident All un to me haul me into a station. run a liquor test, and if he can g off I got for 30 days or more." I told him that was very dif

club K, hoping the suit would defenders had done no bidding? drinking drivers."

There is one man in England, pagandises tirelessly to start one, as Wladyslaw V, King of Poland He is a slender, good looking and of Hungary. The British do not recognise his claim to either Count says: "I am a

genius. Yet they treat me like a dog. It would be different if war came. Then the British would need me. I am the man who could rule Poland successfully." The Count dresses in royal nurple robes. These are sometimes covered by a heaten app trench cont. There is a silver

By E. CREAGH

hadge over his heart and a silver eagle in his plum coloured belt. He appeared in a magistrate's court recently wearing a crown. The judge ordered: "Take off that headgear right now." Putocki re-

The Count was born, he says, in New Zealand of an English mother and Polish father who did not use the title. He came to England in 1928 and got into the king business by way of poetry. He says: "I am a great poet, but the British let me starve When I got hangry I used to go into the British Museum and look up my ancestors. It made ime

Long before 1989 he convinced himself he was the direct descent of King Wencestas, "Respent his time during the war the his own words "accusing the Allies of being a pack of monaters. Hitler another glasss of Schnapps-plus was right, at least as much as anvone else." Putocki served two months in

> over the head with an axe. He laws and courts bave nothing to do with the King of Poland." In an anti-Democratic maga-

zine he publishes, he calls for the restoration of the Tsar of Russin and for a union of Poland and Hungary with himself as the

N.Z. OIL COMPANY ---

Wellington, Nov. 27. The House of Representatives has authorized the New Zealand Government to acquire shares in a company to be incorporated in New Zealand, by the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company The new concern will import and distribute petroleum preducts.

The: Government investment is expected to be approximately N.Z. 2600,000. The company is expected to have a total capital of approximately N.Z. 22,500. 000,-Associated Press.

POLA FOOD BAN Trieste, Nov. 26.

The Yugoslav military suthorities have promised the Allied Military Government in the Anglo-American Zone that "Like a dirty rat," hissed my they will try to relax as soon as possible their ban on the entry of meat, butter, milk and vegetables into Pola, the Anglo-American enclave at the tip of Istriu, Allied Military Government officials stated today. h No relexation has, however,

yet been reported from Pola, except in the case of milk, which is now being allowed into town.-Reuter

The Turkish Prime Minister and the Minister of Defence will shartly make actiour to laspect the garrisons of Thrace prove that I've had even a drop: - pajoining Greece and the Islanbul area, it was reported here today. The Greek state of Thrace has been the scene of border raids and stacks by Greek guerilla bands. Reuter.

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submit information on jet-pro-

pelled weapons, atomic arma-

ments and other types of arma-

ments in order to have a really

all-embracing picture which cer-

tain delegates are so eager to ob-

nally and Mr. Noel-Baker want?

armaments are increasing rapid-

tion of armaments could not be

disposed of unless the number of

troops under arms and the num-

ber of naval and air bases are

M. Molotov said that in this

connection other information

would have to be taken into ac-

count, such as accumulation of

certain war materials, "among

which we must include the manu-

facture of various types of arma-

ments-atomic weapons, flying

sist on broadening the question

regards its armed forces and its

armaments in their territory?

The Soviet delegation has no ob-

jection to demanding such in-

formation from all states. This

when we shall deal with the ex-

receive satisfactory solution."

M. Moletov declared, however,

consider the question under dis-

cussion should be broadened to

"Urgent"

ritories has independent signi-

tories should be recognised

"It is not possible to put off a

problems, such as general reduc-

a mistake to put off submission

general reduction of armaments

Proposal

the Security Council will ex-

particular resolution,

Nothing To Hide

"On the other hand, the problem of general reduction of

tion of armaments,

is examined."

"We feel that the question of

forces on foreign ter-

He asked: "Do those who in-

taken into account."

bombs and so on."

"As we know various types of

M. Molotov, Soviet Foreign Minister, proposed that all countries should submit to the United Nations information on all their armaments, including atomic weapons, when the Political Committee resumed its session today. He also accepted Britain's proposal that all the United Nations should report by January 1 next on all troops and bases abroad and on troops and military formations at home.

British proposal was put forward 'yesterday by Mr. Philip Noel-Baker in reply to the original Russian motion calling on members of he United Nations to report on their troops and military bases abroad. The Soviet Foreign Minister made his new proposal when commenting on the earlier British suggestion that troops' census and disarmament should be

considered together. Mr. Molotov said that the broadened. If, as has been sug- ject of general disarmament," question of census of armed gested, the question of forces is he said. "The United States urgent and could not be put off blem of disarmament, informa- in any way of its armed forces until consideration of more com- tion should be submitted not only wherever they may be. Wherplex problems, such as the a gen- regarding total number of per- ever troops may be, at home west.

Noel-Baker, appealing to Mr. military type, formations, but Molotov "not to be unreasonable." also information on the types of amaments. Senator Tom Connally, U.S. delegate, said his wountry was un-

able to support the British call for inspection and submitted an amendment deleting reference to verification and proposing December 15 as the relevant date of re-As the meeting began, it was carned that the United States

delegation at a private meeting had decided not to support the British proposal that the informa- ily. In many countries the question supplied under census should be verified. The American spokesman said after the private meeting! that the general feeling was that it would be a mistake to introduce hastily an improvised control system at very short notice which might prejudice the whole matter of census. The United States des legation, however, have decided support the remainder of the British suggestion that the census include home-based troops as well as troops abroad. M. Molotov

M. Molotov, replying to critica under discussion want us to make of the Soviet resolution, declared a decision that each country that information on troops in should submit full information as naval and air bases was of the greatest importance:

In a 15-minute speech M. Molotov said that only two countries-Salvador and Argentina-had raised objections to consideration information can be demanded of the troops question. France. Poland, India, China, Czecho- amination of general reduction of slovakia and Yugoslavia had de- armaments. the Soviet proposal. The other order that the problem of delegates made amendments, but general reduction of armaments also attached great importance te the question. There were severa! points on which a basic agree- that the Soviet delegation did not

ment had been reached. "It might be said that in our general opinion the submission of such extent. information called for will assist the implementation of Article 43 of the Charter (agreements on United Nations forces)," he de-

"There is a possibility that the ficance," he said. "The submiswork of the Military Staff Com- sion of information regarding mittee will be considerably broad- armed forces on foreign terriened. The Soviet proposal that information be submitted regard- urgent, ing armed forces stationed in territories of other United National decision on this question until members has met with no objec- i consideration of more complex

No Objection

Soviet delegation had no objection to the British compromise propossi put forward yesterday, which would require all members of the United Nations to report by January 1 next on all troops based abroad and on troops and military organisations at home. M. Molotoy submitted an additional Soviet proposal that information should be supplied to the Security Council on the strength of forces and armaments

at home when the Council considers the proposals for a general reduction of armaments. He said: "The Soviet delegation has accepted the United States regarding armed forces and submitted as regards Allied eign territories. This informaroops stationed in former enemy tion should be submitted when

Speaking of the United States amine the proposal for a genand British insistence that in- eral reduction of armaments." formation should include forces at The United States; delegate, home, M. Molotov said: 'I have Senator Tom Connally, inter-, Official quarters in London already said the Soviet Government considers it essential that
the United Nations should receive States view on the British remained in the capital for when we examine the question Connainy said, but did not feel of a general reduction of arma- disposed to insist upon inspec-

"Full Light"

Then the submission of relevant information will help to form a great political, and prac-

tical task-such as general reduc-Lion of armaments. shall insist upon thorough in-"We are told that the question spection and verification in all of information regarding armed branches of the armed services." forces of the United Nations on Senator Connally returned to champion of Belgium, beat foreign territory is no doubt his insistence on the inclusion Claude Dennington, of London,

Mr. Noel-Baker, British dele-

ARABS AND THE UNO

Lake Success, N.Y., Nov. 26.

Arab delegations to the United Nations are anxious to keep the Palestine question away from the UNO as long as there is hope of reaching a satisfactory agreement between the parties concerned, it is authoritatively learned.

Arab delegates are known to be under some pressure to throw the whole Palestine problem into the United Nations arena on the grounds of, firstly, the demand for the independence of Palestine and, secondly, the presence of British troops in the Middle East.-Reuter.

now and not wait till the subject of general disarmament," eral reduction of armaments. Mr. sonnel of active service, including or abroad, let us tell the world." __He_then_moved_the-following eaid Britain was prepared to armaments existing in each should be descriptive of the situation existing on December 15 and should be supplied to the Secretary General

January 1, 1947." Senator Connaily criticised the "late hour" at which Mr. Molotov had introduced another amendment on home forces and tain. Is that what Senator Con- asked: "Why not submit such information now?" "

> "Of Course Not" Mr. Noel-Baker, of Britain, Molotov's contention that in- not.

Cause Of Dakota Crash

Vienna, Nov. 26. and a fault in the com-

Captain Tate, at a press con-ference after undergoing an operation this morning, said he had not previously been warn-

forces on foreign territories was to be linked with the general pro- has no information to conceal showed Geneva to the east when it was really almost due"

> glacier,-Captain-Ttate said, was partly due to his long experience in flying over the

If the batteries for the radio had been smashed, they might never have been found, Captain Tate added.-Renter.

soldiers, that matter, "Are we ready to give such

Wavell London

London, Nov. 26.

Cabinet is understood to have invited the Viceroy of India (Lord Wavell) and five members of the Indian Provisional Government two Congress representatives, two Muslim League representatives and one Sikh - to come to London to discuss the basis for the forthcoming meeting of the Indian Constitu-

finitely called for acceptance of "Then it will be necessary in been taken in view of the alone in the course of the next difficulties that have arisen in few days for consultation with connection with participation the Government. of the Muslim League in the It is understood that the Assembly, which has been sum- | Pritish Government, is anxious moned to meet in Delhi on De- at all costs to safeguard the cember 9.

The invitation has been ex- Assembly in India on December tended to the Viceroy, who in 9, turn is asked to bring with him five members of the Gov- viting a representative section ernment representing the three of the Provisional Government and the Vicercy to London to

cepted, and in "London the ways and means may be takennames of the leaders invited as indicative of that anxiety.have not been disclosed.

If for any reason the Indian leaders feel themselves unable to accompany the Viceroy, he

armaments will take a long time General forces on foreign territories until such time as the problem of a Changes His Plans

"The Soviet delegation sub-London, Nov. 26. mits this proposal: 'The General- Assembly considers essential that all states members of the United Nations Organisation should submit information proposal that information be also armaments stationed on for the British Army, was announce-

ed tonight. The General was due to leave London last Sunday for week's tour of military establishments, but his plans

from its members a full picture suggestion for inspection of the staff talks or to negotiate inregarding their armaments, but proposed reports. In the main creased supplies of arms and the Soviet Government feels this the United States supported equipment for the Greek Army, question should be considered the Sritish resolution, Senator but refused to state the reason

There is still no official Bri-"In this case, the question of He said: "We do not want be made available to the Greek forgotten. On the contrary, full whatever as to delay on this tive pointer to future British particular resolution, but we policy in relation to the steady want to move forward to the worsening of relations between

Captain Ralph Tate, pilot of the Dakota plane which crashed in the Swiss Alps last Tuesday, said today that the accident was caused by exceedingly strong winds

Tilting the plane just before landing, he gently settled amid the soft snow. The plane was almost entirely undamaged.

deed, and it is armaments, not

said: "We agree with Mr. information now? Of course formation about the number of "We will do it when we

troops without information know the whole thing is a about armaments they possess reality and not a sham," said is of very limited valued in- Mr. Noel-Baker.-Reuter.

This spectacular step of in-

ent Assembly. It is understood this step has will travel by air to London

Reuter.

launching of the Constituent

rarties named.

The Viceroy's invitation, it is sit round a table with the understood, has still to be ac- | British Government to discuss

A change of plans in the programme of General Panayotis Spillotopoulos, chief of the Gock General Staff, who arrived in Britain last week to study the organisation "and training; of

for the cancellation.

tish decision on whether increased supplies of arms should armed forces at home will not be to offer any excuse or pretext Government nor any authoritaparticular resolution, but we policy in relation to the steady general matter of disarmament. Greece and Yugoslavia.-Reu-In that respect, of course, we ter.

London, Nov. 26, bound up with the problem of a in reports of troops at home. former featherweight amateur champion, the referee stopping gate, had said the Soviet proposal . We believe troops in home the fight in the final round, at was too narrow and should be territories should be reported Seymour. Hall tonight Reuter.

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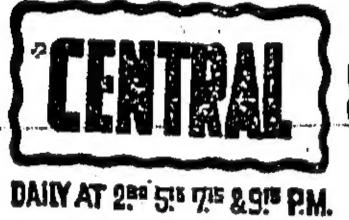
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MR. ATTLEE'S STATEMENT DEMOBILIZATION

London, Nov. 26. Prime Minister Attlee told the House of Commons today that the slower rate of demobilisation of British forces in the first six months of next year, announced on November 6, was due to the slower rate of progress in settling the peace treaties and kindred matters.

Declaring that the announcement had created disappointment, particularly in the Army, Mr. Attlee said everyone would sympathise with those who had to stay on in the Forces longer than they thought probable at one time. Mr. Attlee said that from | yet been settled and we are

the outset the Government had obliged to keep our troops in made it clear that they in- Venezia Giulia area until agreetended to fulfil the tasks laid ment has been reached in the upon them following the war peace treaty. and that the rate of release "As regards Greece our forces must depend upon the speed and remain there at the request! access with which these tasks of several successive Greek vera accomplished. Governments to help in the

Mr. Attlee emphasised that restoration of order and transuccessful conclusions of quility." these problems did not lie en- Mr. Attlee said it was beirely within the power of the lieved that by the end of 1947 British Government. Recalling all men called up before June of pence and unity, according that he had stated on November 1, 1944 would be released and 21 that events prevented Bri- that by the end of this year, tain from achieving the target 4,300,000 men and women would of 1.200,000 and that the total have been released out strength at the end of the year | 5,100,000 serving in the Forces was likely to be 185,000 greater, on VE-Day. Mr. Attlee said the same reaprevented the Government from providing that the releases for the first half 1947 would be at a higher rate than announced on November 6.

The Premier added: "The cluding the peace treaties and establishment of normal conditions in the world has much slower and difficult than we had a right to expect when our plans were drawn up at the beginning of the year.

Forces Withdrawn

"We are now able to withdraw our forces from Indonesia but not from many parts of Europe. Furthermore the un-Palesting puts continued strain | Headquarters announced on our forces. In Austria wel that the American liaison plane, are unable even to begin con- missing since Saturday with sideration of the peace treaty two officers aboard, had been although we have been press- found in the Soviet zone of ing for months for an early Germany near Sondershausen start on this matter.

Indian Crisis Mr. Anthony Eden (Cons.) said that while he did not want to contest the list of present

commitments to which Prime Minister referred, be added to them.

up was deferred. The cer- Reuter. responding figures for 1946 were approximately 145,000,-Reuter. 1

Weisbaden, Nov. 26. United States Air Force Russian officers said the plane "In Italy the frontier between | would be returned as soon as Italy and Yugoslavia has not possible.-Reuter.

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Chinese

Shanghai, Nov. 26. Many Chinese in Great Britain are greatly worried over the dwindling value of the Chinese dollar, and are carnestly hoping for the early return to Mr. Li Chi-ku, Vice-Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in London, in an

rerview with the Chinese press The "runaway" inflation said to be hitting especially hard those Chinese dependent on remittances from the home-

Mr. Li, who attended the re the cent All-China commerical conference in Nanking, revealed felt that the deteriorating that Chinese curies, embroisituation in India must now deries, porcelains and other novelties still had a special ap-Earlier, the Labour Minister, peal to Europeans, and believed Mr. George Isaacs, had stated that China could acquire a subthat in 1947 there would be stantial amount of foreign excalled up 140,000 men born in change once she could export earlier years and whose calling these in large quantities again.

NEEDS

Shanghai, Nov. 26. China has asked, through her | ed Press. Embassy in the United States, for an allotment of 8,000 tons of rubber from the International Rubber Distribution Committee to meet the country's requirements, according Chinese press reports-

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Clues Across

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20. Cloth. 8. Increased 9. Trifle. 21. Pluck. 11. Cook by

Ends; 10. Lear; 31. Blotted; 32, 25, Steed.

Clues Down

L. Belonging to 10. Common-2. Give pain. 12. Trying out. 3. Most pre- 13. Union to keep up CIQUE. 4. Group of prices,

14. Not noticed. eight. 16. Representa-5. Odd job worker. 0. Dodged. 17. Affirm.

Yesterday's Crossword

ACROSS:-1. Undo; 4. Tem-1 DOWN:-2. Needle; 3. Offset; pest; 8; Flax; 8. Self; 10. Corrode; 4. Tacit; 5. Exotic; 6. Parts; 7. 11. Shit; 12. Glue; 14. Tipster, 17. Sidle; 12. Grit; 16. Used, 15. Trap; Rests; 19. Grape; 22. Tedious; 26. 16. Reel; 18. Bustle; 20. Robert; Opal; 27, Stub; 28, Preiste; 20, Zl. Pander; 23, Enrol; 24, Infet;

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Rails 48.51; 10 Utilities ---

Chaing quotations:-Adams Express 14%. Alaska Juneau 3. American Can 90, American Smeltinf 5214. American Tiepebone 163. American Tobacco 81 %, American Waterworks 15%. Anneonda Copper 30%. Aviation Corporation 6%, Baldwin Locomotive 18%. Barnsdall 22, Bendix Aviation 30, Bethlehem Steel 88 4, Booing Alregaft 19%, Borden Co. 47%, Canadian Pacific 12 4. J. L. Case 34. Chrysler 83 %. Colgate 46, Commercial Salventa 21%, Corn Producta 63%. Dupont 17416, Eastman Koffak \$18. Electric Light & Power 15%, General Electric 3414, General Motors 50, Goodrich 62 %, Goodyear 52 %. Homestake 68. International Paper 49%. International Tel & Tel 15%. Johns Manville -- Kennecott Copper 46%, Montgomery Ward SNN, National Distillers 20, National Lead 31%. New York Central 15%, Packard Motors 6%, Pan-American Airways 12%, Pentaylvania BR 45% Radle Corporation 9 4 .- Real Silk 15. Republic Steel 2614. Reynolds Tobacco 38%, Schenley 54%, Sears Roebuck 13%, Shell Oil 30%, Socony Vacuum 13%, Southern Pacific 44%, Standard Brands 35 %. Standard Oil of Calif. 53 %. Standard Oil of N.J. 64%, Studebaker 20, Union Bag' 27%. Union Carbide 89. U.S. Rubber 49%. U.S. Steel 70%, Westinghouse 21%, Youngstown Shoet & Tube 60 %, Greyhound 36%.—Associated

Ample **Textiles**

Charlotte, N.C. Nov. 27. Doctor William P. Jacobs, president of the Cotton Manufactur-ers' Association, said that barring shutdowns, there should be "ample textiles on the market in the anring—and at reasonable

Shutdowns, he said, might result to have prolonged coal strike. Prices have just about held their own since the controls were lifted with no material increases, excent in print cloths.

He said that print cloths have been adjusted to about 25 per cent upward to remedy a "badly under priced" condition under OPA .- Associated Press.

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Formosa via Keelung (Iris) 10 a.m. * Macso, Tsinshan and Shekki (Kwong ook Cheung) 10 a.m. Manila (Tercero) Noon. Hollow (Promise) 2 p.m. Bangkok (Pakhoi) 2 p.m.

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Kongmoon (Fook Hol) 4 p.m. Canton (By Train) 4 p.m. FRIDAY, NOV. 29. Salgon (Hellkon) 10 a.m. Straits: (Van' Heutes) 2.00 p.m.

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Canton (Fatshan), 4, p.m. SATURDAY, NOV. 40,

Airmali for Canton and Shanghal (C.N.A.C. Plane) (Bog.) 9.30 a.m. (Ord.) Straits (Naga) 10 a.m. ook Cheung) 11 a.m.

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London, Nov. 26. Washington's weekend "disclosure" that the "United States will insist on "a safety clause" in any trade agreements entitling the United States to withdraw any tariff concessions might prove harmful to United States economy is no surprise to British officials.

he British reaction is that all reductions of tariffs and preferences must be and must remain. mutual. If the United States did take such action, Britain and the Dominion must be entitled to reimpose any cuts which they had compensatorily made in their tariffs or preferences. After all the talk at the London economic conference, that attitude has not weakened. In one important, respect it has hardened. This "escape clause" already notify to the United Nations eigners, Japanese issues were

60.98; 20 Industrials 166.94; 15 exists in the United States Secretariat.

Preferences
In its announcement on November 9 of its intention to start negotiations, the State Departness before the start of negotiations and stated that it intended to request them But all these ment stated that it intended to to reduce them. But all these Saving Bonds, 196. 1963/76. 111-1/16, or months before.

The point of hardening significant. The London ference has decided that cession for a cut in high tariff Mining 37 14. International Harresten may take the form of another country undertaking not increase an existing low tariff. The reason is that countries with low tariffs fear that an all-round percentage reduction would leave them practically defenceless while still leaving many American tariffs pro-

> Thus, in compensation for the and Australia, a viewpoint United States cutting its tariff very different from that of the Byrnes on, say, textiles, Britain might original United States charter. agree not to increase her existing tariff on, say, wheat. But the plain implication is nothing more than recognition that if the United States later by each country that it has an reimposed the cut in its textile international as well as tariff on the ground that it demestic responsibility to mainproving injurious to tain full employment and United States textile manufactake such steps as it can turers. Britain would be entitled that end. ed to raise her tariff on United States wheat actually higher

than it is now. "Sauce For The.....".

Whether Britain would that case also be entitled raise a preference higher than it is now is less clear. documents which the London economic conference intends to publish today are capable different interpretations this point. They are also liable to different interpretations in different countries. What is quite clear is the overriding determination of Britain and other countries concerned that if there proves to be no sauce for the goose, there will

none for the gander. As expected, the London conference has postponed deadline date, after ferences and preferences tween the United States Posts Cuba cannot be increased. close 30 minutes earlier than the der Washington's suggested charter these preferences were not to be increased above their

level on July 1, 1946. The deadline has now been postponed to dates-not necessarily a common date-which each country concerned wil

Exchanges

New York, Nov. 26. American A/C. Sterling 4,03-15/16 4,03-1/16, American A/C Sterling Months 4.03-3/16, 4.02-7/16, On Sweden 27.83 offered, France 84% traded, Swit zerland (Official) 24.00, 24.25, Switzerland (Free) 27.00, 27.25, Spain 9.25 offered Portugal 4.04b, 4.06a, Australia 2.22% New Zealand: 226, South Africa 4.03% British East Africa, 20,30, India, 80.29 Shanghai \$5.50, Argentina (Official) 22,77, Argentine (Free) 24.64 offered Brazil 4.46, Bolivia (Official) 2.00, Boli via (Free) 2.23, Chile (Official) 5.16 Chile (Free) \$.15, Chile, (Export) 4.00 Colombia 46.93, Cuba 100, Ecuador 7.60n Gustemala: 100, Holland, 37.78, Mexico 20,57, 20,61, Peru 15.50 offered, Uruguay 55.00, \$4.50, Venezuela 29.90, Netherland West Indies, 53,05, Dutch Gulana 53.25 Montreal on Lendon 4.02, Montreal of New York 95.250, Swiss Bond Notes rate \$1.00, 42.00, Belglum Frans 2.28, 2.28%, Pound Notes 295, 305,-Reuter,

SHARE PRICES FIXED

Bombay, Nov. 26. Minimum prices for shares, ox cepting tea, quoting on the Bom-Macao, Tainshan and Shekki (Kwong bay Stock Exchange, have been fixed by the Exchange authorities. following a slump in the last few days. The latter arose over the difficulties of certain smaller Calcutta banks. The Exchange r-thorities previously fixed the minimums in December, 1941, during the earlier phase of the Japanese war .- Reutor.

> New York, Nov. 26. According to the American Iron and Steel Institute, steel mill operations during the coming week is scheduled at 70.5 of the rated capacity with production at 1.242,500 tons as compared with last week's 91.4 and 1,610,800.

LONDON STOCKS

Conditions continued quiet and rather easy on the London stock market today. Giltedged met small persistent selling and prices dropped throughout the list. Industrials were quietly irregular with breweries now tending to drift lower. "Indian" issues showed further declines on both local and Indian selling to the accom- S.S. paniment of unconfirmed rumours S.S. that Indian banks have overfinanced loans to speculators and are now foreclosing, thus forcing the selling of stock.

market and they were generally better with dividend payers wantthe upward movement. Oils were idle and featureless. Among for-

measures of other countries are 1513 23, Reorg, Loan, 576, 1918" 28, Reurg, Loan, 5%, 1918 (London lasue) nothing much worse than a 46, Crisp Loan, 5%, 1911 45, Hukuang piece of international bad man-Railway, 554, .1911, 2514, Honan Railway, 5%, 1005 '50 4. Shanghai-Nanking Railway, 574, 25, Mercantile Bank of If the United States has a Indfa, "A" 2214, Chartered Bank of. slump, it will reduce its im-A. & C. 11%, H.K. & Shanghai Ranking ports and export unemployment, Corp. 871/2. Lydenburg Estates 87/0. however low its tariff may be. South Africa Townships 25/4. Selection On the vital point of full Trust 42/6, South Africa Torbanites 12/6, Canadian Pacific. 18%, Mexican Eagles. employment, the London con-14/10%,-Reuter. ference has adopted the defini-

tion of the United States Employment Act of February, 1946 Bevin And general viewpoint of Britain Even so, there is and can be CONTER.

New York, Nov. 26. Secretary of State James Byrnes and Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin met twice this morning, following yesterday's Molotov-Byrnes meeting.

It is believed the veto and In other words, the United States promises not to have the German questions were disa slump if it can help it. But cussed. It is the general ninthe main point of the London pression among observers that conference's decisions is that | the Ministers are making other countries are entitled last attempt to iron out hitheradequately to safeguard them- to insoluble problems by private selves if the United States contact,

does not succeed in avoiding a They see in Mr. Molotov's acslump and in maintaining the ceptance of the Human Rights demand for imports even by clause in Article 9 of the imposing quantitative import Trieste statute an indication restrictions which Washington | that further actual concessions may be expected.-Reuter.

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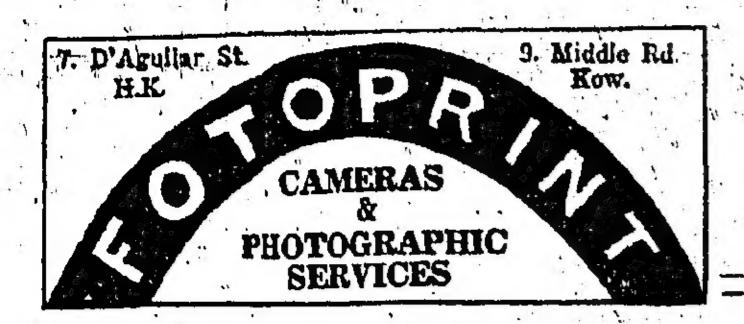
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Stephen's Girls

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Mark Young, congratulated the school on its good work and rapid recovery, when he attended the first post-war speech day of the St. Stephen's Girls' College yesterday.

and Mr. T. R. Rowell, Director of numbers, of pupils increased, Education, were also present. His Excellency pointed out that the "Kindergarten, many are the

this was not the first occasion he had attended this celebration at the school. He still remembered his visit about five years ago, in the same very room, when Miss. This play was such a success that E. A. Alkins delivered the school it produced \$12,000 and the sum report as she had done this year. of mure than four million dollars the College, said (in part):-

It is with feelings of joy and gratitude that I greet you all here today, once again gathered for a School Speech Day in this Hall, and we are the more happy " that you, Sir, and Lady Young. shave graced this gathering with your presence.

Since last we had the privilege of welcoming Your Excellency this school, this building has been through many transformations. From December 1941 to May 1942 it was an Emergency Hospital; a year later, in May 1943, it was re-opened as a school by the Japanese from whom we took it back in September of last year.

Into Action Before we who were interned allowed to leave of our former teachers's came to visit us in ask if we meant to reopen the school. When we finally returned to the school they met us with a list of fifty pupils already enrolled. Within ave weeks the school was again functioning under the old name. but on a co-educational basis. At the end of October when I left for England there were 350 pupils enrolled with Mr. Wong Nai Hon B.A., as Headmaster. Mr. Wons very gallantly at very short notice shouldered the burden of adat an exce/dingly difficult time. We are all gratefor the hard work and willing cooperation throughout this year, of i resurgence. Our thanks are due also to the Rev. George She who

acted as Correspondent to the

Government untill my return. We have been fortunate in the fact that our building was left proken world, education has intact: certain structural alterations were made by the Japanese some of which," though not all have benefitted the School. Or the other hand the Science room equipment has been entirely lost with the exception of the microscope which was used in Tweed Bay Hospital in Stanley Camp and which we brought back with Many of our library books were saved in the University Library, though many are now in state of dilapidation, Through the courage and faithfulness of our school Matron, 'Miss Goodridge and our Chinese teachers, much of the house furnitufe and many of our personal

belongings were saved for us. We have a School new of well over 600 students, 448 girls and 212 boys. The Council has decided to discontinue co-education after the summer of 1947; thereafter admitting boys only up to 8 years of adu.

Good Work But this is a Report of the past year and I would place on record the magnificent work and spirit of both staff and students. Most of the staff were former teachers

The Right Rev. Bishop Hall was | families returned to Hong Kong nt the chair, while Lady Young | from China and elsewhere, so the many our own old students. In children of old pupils.

One of the outstanding achievements of the year was a Play produced by the Staff in aid of the Famine-stricken areas of China. Miss E. A. Atkins, Principal of in national currency was handed over to the Bishop and used for the farmers of Kwangtung Pro-

> All who have passed through the school will remember Miss Hazeland, who even after their school days helped them with the intricacies of English and speech. She will always be remembered too, for the willing aid she always gave both at school and after her retirement in the preparation of all .our plays and performances. It was perhaps litting that, after over forty years' service in C.M.S. Schools, most of which were in St. Stephen's Girls' College, she died in this building in 1942 while it was a hospital, and was buried in the Chinese Christian Cemetery in Poksulam Road. The Alumnac Association have shown their love and appreciation by establishing n Scholarship for the School in her memory to be known as the Hazeland Scholarship,

> Staff Losses I progret to have to report the less of most of our 1941 European Staff. Miss Baxter, on account of her parents' health is unable to return. Miss Lush is married, and Miss Williamson returns to Fukien-Province. Miss Wise had esigned in 1940, so I was very auch, relieved and very thankful then she wrote offering to return. We are glad to have her back and to welcome new-comers in the persons of Mrs. Bassadona and Mrs. Tuzove. We welcome also new Chinese members of staff Miss Ho Sin Ha, Miss Hui Seung, Miss Cheung Wai Miss Wei Kit Tsing and Hwang Pek Cio, and the Northcote College for the facilities "re being made to give

We have a big task ahead of rs. In the reconstruction of our most vital part to play. May God strengthen us here at stephen's Girls' College that we may work worthily for the benefit of our fellow citizens and for the Glory of His Holy Name.

training to all who need it.

Conviction Of

The conviction against Au Cheung, motor driver, sentenced ic six months' hard labour without the option of a fine by Mr. X. d'Almada at the Central Magistracy on November 2, for dangerous leading and overloading of his lorry, was quashed by Mr. d'Almada yesterday, when an application was made

through Mr. M. A. dæ Silva Mr. Silva submitted that the conviction against Au could not be sustained, as there was only verbal instruction by the Traffic not be overloaded and it was not Sadhu Singh. stated in the car licence.

was two and half tons. and many were former pupils. As

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Task Ahead Of LASKI'S LIBEL ACTION

GREEK APPEAL

Athens, Nov. 26. The leader of the Greek Opposition Liberal Republican Party, Mr. Dophocles Ventzelos, today appealed to the King of the Hellenes to take the initiative once more in an attempt to broaden the basis of the Greek Govern-

In a memorandum to King George, it is understood, hesuggested that the sovereign should use his constitutional powers to make a move that would bring the Opposition Parties into the Cabinet of National Unity. A previous appeal by the King to leaders of the four main parliamentary opposition Parties led to talks which broke down when they demanded that the Royalist Prime Minister, Constantin Tsaldaris, should give un the Premiership.—Reuter.

America:

Vancouver, B.C., Nov. 27. Plans to establish free ports Trade Association said.

Portland and San Francisco to Labour Government. get the ports for foreign trade zones until we get rid of Harry Bridges," he declared (Bridges is head of Pacific Const Longshoremen's

London: Nov. 27. States was proposed by Paul on the matter of public interest. Minister to Spain and France. of the Free Trade Union.

said .- Associated Press.

General Election Bombshell

London, Nov. 26. Professor Harold J. Laski, last year's Labour Party chairman and the "bogey man" of the General Election, today brought a libel action against a newspaper which reported him as saying the Labour Party would use violence if necessary to achieve its ends.

Professor Laski's counsel in the High Court today described the action as "the most serious that has been before the courts for many a long day," since the words complained of meant that Professor Laski intended to commit. "treason, felony, sedition, riot and breach. the peace if the policy of the Labour Party Sussex County. should not be put into operation by constitutional means.

The report of Professor Laski's Labour Party could not obtain alleged words three weeks be- what it needed by general confore the poll added to the furore sent we shall have to use vio-

mosphere. From comparative obscurity he leaped to the front pages of national newspapers as the cam-

On the eve of the poll the of foreign trade at Pacific ports Prime Minister, Mr. Winston meeting, he said, the local Conmay be delayed by labour un- Churchill, exchanged words with servative candidate addressed the Vice-President J. R. Her- Mr. Clement Attlee questioning the meeting reported in the same ber of the Pacific Northwest constitution of the Labour Party issue of the paper. This report with special reference to Prof. "I do not think we should Laski and raising the issue of the that Prof. Laski had publicly admake any attempt in Seattle, dictation by the chairman to the vocated revolution by violence

Defence Pleas The defence denied the mean ing of the words complained of and pleaded that they were fair and an accurate report of a pub-Union of CIO.) - Associated lie concern published for public benefit and without malice towards Prof. Laski. They also pleaded that insofar as the words were statements of fact they were true and that insofar as they were expressions of opinion they A customs union between the were fair comment and published British Empire and the United in good faith and without malice Ual

de Hevesy, former Hungarian | Prof. Loski's counsel, who described him as one of the forethe annual general meeting most political scientists in Britain, if not the world, read the Every country, including Rus- alleged libel which appeared in a sia, should be invited to adhere weekly newspaper with a large to a British-American free circulation. Reporting a meeting the trading area which thus would in the market place at Newark, quarters in Happy Valversal customs union, de Hevesy town, the paper said Prof. Laski ley, to house the mass Shanghai

Soldier On Charge Manslaughter

How an Indian driver of the Royal Signals, who cost about \$100,000. had no accident throughout the Burma campaign for two and a half years, was alleged to accommodation for approximatehave killed an aged Chinese woman in Nathan by 300 patients. This will pro-Road about two months ago when driving at bably be sited at Aberdeen, 40 to 45 m.p.h., was related at the Criminal Sessions by Mr., J. Reynolds, Crown Counsel, vesterday when the soldier appeared before Sir Henry Blackall, Chief Justice, on a charge, scheme in order to ascertain the of manslaughter.

Mr. B. Bernacchi, instructed by | The skid marks indicated that

Outlining the case, Mr. Reynolds When accused was asked other lorry at a fast speed.

For some reason, the brakes accident were applied hard and the rear wheels of the lorry began to skid, cluded, died of multiple injuries, It continued down the left centre She had six fractured ribs. of the road for some time in a Dr. Alvares, medical officer, of straight line. Then the front the Kowloon Public Mortuary, wheels turned inwards, so that testified as to the cause of death, when the larry came to a stand- To Mr. Bernacchi, witness still it had turned through more agreed that the woman fell first than a right angle.

struck the woman who was stand- stationed at the H.K. Jockey Club. The lorry continued a few feet cident. He replied no.

came to a standstill. Accused, Mr. Reynolds alleged, ing that it was a fatal accident. least half a larry's length and it was a fatal accident

killing her instantly. The lorry half years. Damascus was disappeared in the direction of After other witnesses for the the waterfront search unit, described as 'a fabrication." the Star Ferry at a fast speed. Crown, the case was adjourned, conducted the prosecution.

Mr. A el Arculli, pleaded not the lorry was travelling between Department that a truck could guilty on behalf of the Indian, 40 and 45 m.p.h. when the braker were applied.

It stated that defendant had said that at about 2 p.m. on Sept. Major Henry Dirs late that aftersix and a half tons waste paper 30, accused was driving a military noon whether he had been in- cial committee was appointed by on the lorry. The official loading lorry, No. A.3513, along Nathan volved in an accident, he replied the meeting to prepare an est Road towards Mongkok. Near in the negative. On the following mate of the cost of staff Dundas Street, he overtook an- day when again asked, he raid that he was involved in a slight The woman, Mr. Reynolds' con-

and then was run over by a wheel, Before it came to rest, Mr. Rey- | Major John Henry Dirs, officer nolds added, the front bumper in charge of the Royal Signals EXPORTS ing on the road eight or nine feet | said that at 2.30 p.m. on Sept. 30 from the footpath. The woman he received a message from the Sum, was charged before Mr. was knocked down, She turned Military Police. In consequence, F. X. d'Almada at the Central n forward somerspult and fell on- when accused returned with the Magistracy yesterday, with to the ground between the front lorry, witness asked him whether carrying illegal exports on board and rear wheels under the lorry, he had been involved in any ac- the s.s. Fat Shan on Tuesday.

loaded with furniture and then he said he was involved in a a gunny sack. minor accident but denied knowdid not alight to see what dam- To Bernacchi, Major Dirs said fiscated. age, he had done. Instead, ir that accused appeared dumbstruck Poon Luen was fined \$100 jordan had stated in a private turned the long by reversing at when witness informed him that for having two pieces of wool- conversation here that he had

then, guing forward, turned up Asked for an opinion on he board the ship. Nathan Rough in the direction from cused's driving experience, the Ip Man, who had two pieces which he had come. Major said: "He was a first class of material was fined \$10. He In thus driving forward, it was driver and was never involved in stated that he bought it for his alleged, one of the rear wheels any accident throughout the mother, to make clothing, and Abdullah as saying there was passed over the woman's body, Burma campaign for two and a not for trade.

in an already heated election at- lence even if it means a revolu-Never Used "I can tell you Prof. Laski

paign developed, being challeng- never used those words or any Free Ports need by Conservatives on his at words to that effect," Prof. Laski's titude to foreign, policy and of counsel declared. "I believe I his whole relations with the La- shall be able to show you how bour Ministers and Members of these passenges came into this re-

On the day previous to the quoted the Conservative as saying after this war,"

Among their documents, said the counsel, was a shorthand notebook of a "Newark Advertiser" reporter but this contained no reference to the revolution by violence part of the libel. After further corroborative

evidence by the professor's counsel, the hearing adjourned until glimmer of hope in the strike. lomorrow.—Reuter.

building of a headreplied to a questioner: "If the radiography unit among other things, were briefly discussed at a meeting of the Council of the Anti-Tuberculosis Association last evening.

> The building is estimated to Further projects include sanatorium at Aberdeen, with

> where prepared ground already available. Immediate intention is to press on with mass radiography extent of the T.B. problem in the

The unit is expected to cost the Association about \$66,000, Unti its arrival, clinical work is to be carried out at the Harcourt Centre, where facilities are being provided by Government. A spe equipment at the Harcour

The Hon. Treasurer (Mr. U Ruttonice) disclosed that after provision to meet the cost of the radiography unit, the Association's credit balance was \$44,330 The Hon. Dr. S. N. Chau pro-

A Chinese merchant, Wong Defendant was found with six and bumped into a hand truck Next day, when again asked, pieces of woodlen material inside The material, valued at over

\$500, was ordered to be con-

len material when going on received formal promises of the denied in Amman, today.

Washbrook And SOUTH AFRICA'S Edrich Find Form TEST CAPTAIN

Johannesburg: Nov. 26.
Alan Melville has been select-

ed to captain the South African

cricketers who are touring Eng-

Melville declined the invita-

tion to tour with the 1929-30

team as it would have interfer-

ed with his education, but went

to Oxford University later and

captained the Dark Blues in

Two years later he captained

1926 and led the South Afri-

cans against Walter Hammond's

Wan service threatened

curtail his cricketing career

but he trained hard last South

African winter, and during the

pust season has come back to

the front rank with some bril-

Washington, Nov. 28.

Shanghal, Nov. 27.

yesterday as a protest against

the arrest of a Japanese witness

from Tokyo by American mili-

tary police after completing his

L. C. Yang, and French, Paul

The lawyers were Chinese.

The witness was Kakitaro

Nakagawa, who was arrested on

the instructions of the War

Crimes Office and lodged in

Yang, announcing his with

drawal to the American

tary Commission, said

was much at state for

United States which is

bacred."-Associated Press.

here to teach the Chinese people

the principles of Demceracy,

the principles of fair, trial.

Premet supporting Yang said

that a witness was "something

SLAP HAPPY IN

NEW COURT

Ward Road jail.

Reliable reports today say that

ca's 400,000 soft coal miners now

ther trouble."

liant performances.-Reuter.

Melville returned home

land next summer.

1931 and 1932.

team in 1938.

Brisbane, Nov. 26.

The MCC tourists have completed their preliminaries to the first. Test and now await that game starting on Friday. The draw with Queensland, which concluded these preliminaries, had its disappointments and ill-luck, for had Len Hutton been able to bat the visitors might have forced a win.

Like G. O. Allen's side of ten years ago, the present one does Chess not possess an impressive record. but perhaps. Walter Hammond can produce the necessary spiration by bold leadership to wield them into a match-winning combination, though many members will have to show better fighting qualities than have been

It has been suggested that good plan might be for Hammond to increase his selectors-Yardley. Edrich-and-himself-for-Hutton with his record and experience could with advantage consulted if he is well enough. All the English party are hoping the chill which kept him in bed today will not develop seriously and keep him from the Test

In his absence, Washbrook and Edrich today seized the opportunity to jump 'right into form and neither were worried by the carly dismissal of Paul Gibb. Gibb's wild abandon in the last over before lunch was astonish-

John L. Lewis, leader of Ameri-Queensland did not set an possible task when declaring, but on strike, has opened secret negoagainst 'a run-saving field tiations with the mine-owners on the eve of his trial for contempt runs in the two and three quarters of an hour was a tall order The report offered the first It is doubtful whether Hammond in Hutton's absence enter--A spokesman of the Department tained the idea of forcing a win of the Interior said: "Secret unless Queensland made disasnegotiations may be going on, but trous mistakes.

we could not say so officially. We Without undue risk, Washbrook welcome anything to avoid fur- and Edrich gave a skilful play, rarely neglecting to punish The reported negotiations may, a loose ball, indeed, each showed it is thought, be inspired by the no hesitation in taking a six. new threat to the coal industry Their placing against a defensive which is raising fears among both field was good to see and th the industry and the management. only blemish in the stand of 18 President Truman is officially was a chance stumping by Edrich taking the same firm stand against when six. It was wide of the off excused for not gathering clean-

From the Test viewpoint the satisfactory feature was the manner in which Washbrook Edrich threw off the dominance previously exerted by McCool Two of the defence lawyers Conditions favoured the bowler in the war crimes trial of 21 the strong breeze into which he Nazis withdrew from the case | bowled being ideal for his gully

SELLERS TURNS

London, Nov. 27. Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Rai Kerr. Secretary of the M.C.C stated today that he had not ye seen the article by Mr. A. B. Se lers, criticising the captaincy of W.R. Hammond in Australia but declared that, in any event, would not make any comment,

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"Mr. Sellers is in Australia purely as a correspondent of newspaper and not in any city as the representative of the M.C.C.", Colonel Rait Kerr stated. In his article in the "Yorkshire Evening Post", Mr. Sellers expressed surprise at: Hammond's andling of the field and bowling in the Queensland match and stated that he would like to see a better team .- Reuter

1st team v Navy at Sookunpoo

Players, are requested to meet

2nd team v C.A.S.C. on Club

SOCCER SIDES Inouye Kanao, 31, Japanese The following will represent

interpreter, who was sentenced the Club teams on Saturday:to death by a War Crimes Court, was charged before Mr. at 4.30: Anderson; Leck and Hopkinson; Carver, Farrow and E. H. Sainsbury at the Central Magistracy yesterdoy, sen. Mullen and Bickford. High Treason, by aiding and assisting the enemy between May 1, 1944 and February 1945. at the Happy Valley Club House At the request of Mr. O'Denovon, A.S.P., of ground at 3 p.m .: -- Calton: Special Branch, the case. by and Strange; Odell, Skudur adjourned until Saturday. and Beck: Gardner, Fowler Accused was not legally re- Fouliard, Farmer and Barker. Reserves: - Fjelstad, Gilchrist, Hambly and Ballarand. presented at this stage.

HUTTON Amnian, Transjordan, Nov. 26. A Belrut report published in

all the Egyptian newspapers that King Abdullah of Trans-Brisbanc, Noy. 27. throne of a Greater Syria, to ht for practice tomorrow, include Palestine, was officially Reuter,

round. -- Associated Press.

Tournament Henry Knight moved into the lead with a praiseworthy, if na an overwhelming, win over H.Ballerand in the fifth round of the Kowloon_Chess Club's Reserve Tournament "A", played off at the Peninsula Hotel cn Tuesday night.

It was a particularly creditable win as Knight had the black pieces and had to meet a queen's pawn opening, bane of all Hong Kong's chess enthusiasts, all of them confirmed King's-side players.

Knight played a nice Slav Defence after declining the Queen's Gambit and emerged winner in less than 30 moves. Ballarand had a draw at the stage but overplayed it.

Ballerand's defeat has placed with Knight. him on a level R.C. Gardner and F.X. Sequeira, all of whom are exactly one point down. Gardner had a bye while Sequeira reported ill. as a result of which the Danenberg- Sequeira games have postponed to been tentatively Thursday,

The best game of the round so far was, however the Whitcombe- Carvalho encounter, the Colonel refusing to be put iff by a Caro-Kann Defence to king's pawn and picking his apponent to pieces in the middlegame. Johnny Carvalho had a tough time of it after losing a ook for a piece, but losing a siece gratis a few moves later

ounded the death-knell. The surprise of the round. however, was the Kolntchofflausz game: which the former won after being down a rook to a piece with a bishen-locked pawn on K6, Kolatchoff played steadily through a Ruy Lopez made adventurous by his oppenent's introducing an carly variation and won a pawn in the early middle game.

A lost tempo permitted Tausz a strong attack on QB-file hich he consolidated by taking a rock for a piece. Kolatchoff refended a poor position with some imagination and opened a ccunter-threat on king's side hat forced Tausz to postpone the attack. The lost tempo, plus an eversight that lost a rook or nothing, proved fatal and Colutchoff managed a mate on the 46th move.

Standings to date:—

ZBW. Hong Kong broadcasting on a frequency of 845 kilocycles and from 12.30 to 1.15 p.m. 7.30 to 8.30 p.m., and 9.15 to 11:00 p.m., also on 6.52 megacycles. 12.30 p.m. Daily Programme Sommery.

2.47 p.m. Charlie Spivak and His Orch-Strange: Onsager, Bond, Riert- 1.00 p.m.-Nows, Weather Report and 1210 p.m. Orchestral Interiode. 1.15 p.m -- Vocal Dueta: Rise Blevens

and Nalson Eddy. 1.20 p.m .- Light Orchestral Concert. 2.00 p.m, Close Down. 2.50 p.me-Variety with Jimmy Leach and His Organolians 7.10 p.m. Studio; Hel Lorenzo at the

7.50 p.m.—Alfredo and His Orchestra."
8.00 p.m.—London Rolay's News 2.15 n.m. Bladlot A Talk on the Society of St. Vincent de Paul by. Pather Sheridan. B. J.

8,20 p.m .- Musical Comedy Scleetions. 4.45 p.m .- Barnabas . Von Gocsy & His Osch. & Richard Tauber, 5.15 p.m .- Mozutt -- Concerto in E. Flak 9.46-p.m. Excerpts from frand Opera.

10.05 p.m. New Light Symptony Or-10.10 p.m. Landon Relays Jaza Boclety 11 an p.m -- Close Down

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Lon. Hutton has made a complete recovery from his chili. He is resting again, today but will be 10.00 p.m London Relay; News.

The report which quoted King Philadelphia, Nov. 27 no obstacle to his accession to